THE WEATHER.

Light local rains Saturday; Sunday generally fair, moderate northeast to east winds.

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THE BALL OUTLOOK NOT ENCOURAGING

World's Championship Game at Philadelphia Again Rained Out Yesterday.

NO SIGNS OF RAINS ABATING

Men Being Given All Practice Possible With Wet Grounds—As to the Pitching Probabilities. Prediction.

Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—As the night advanced rain, which had fallen intermittently all day, increased, making it practically certain that the fourth game of the series between the New York Giants and the Athletics, scheduled for this city tomorrow, would be again postponed.

Before leaving for New York this afternoon, the members of the National Commission directed the umpires to go to Shibe Park at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning and view the playing field. The suggestions are to be telegraphed to the National Commission at once so that the game may be called off as early as possible if the grounds are unfit and thus enable out-of-town visitors to return to their homes early in the day.

Local forecaster Bliss holds out no hope of clearing weather during the night and states that snowers will continue in this locality all day tomorrow.

Giants on Muddy Field.

Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—The outlook for clear weather tomorrow, which would permit the playing of the fourth game of the world's series between the New York Giants and the Athletics is by no means encouraging tonight. Rain, which began falling on last Tuesday night and caused the postponement of Wednesday's game and which has continued almost incessantly ever since, necessitating the calling off of the game on Thursday and today, does not show any signs of abating.

Even should the weather clear tonight, and such a prediction would be extremely hazardous, it is doubtful whether the game could be played tomorrow. Where the diamond is skinned the ground would dry out quickly, but on the turf in some places there are two inches of water.

The suggestion by the members of the National Commission that oil be poured upon the grounds and set on fire in order to put them in playing condition has had the official condemnation of Manager Mack, who states that such a procedure would cost the Athletic management considerable money and ruin the playing field.

Manager McGraw, believing that the three-day delay was not conducive to the best interests of his players, today, despite the almost continuous downfall, took his team out to the National League baseball grounds and gave them some practice in batting and throwing the ball. There was no attempt at fast work for the condition of the field would not permit of anything but the most commonplace work. After remaining on the field for about an hour and a half the men were driven to cover by a heavy rain. Manager McGraw said after his return to the hotel that he only wished to give the boys an opportunity to limber up their muscles.

The New York manager remains reticent when approached with the query as to his pitching probability. But it is reasonably sure that it will be either Mathewson or Marquard, most likely the former, now that he has three full days of rest, and that Marquard will be saved for the fifth game in New York.

There is little doubt but that Manager Mack will send Bender to the mound in the fourth game and probably Coombs in the fifth.

The Spiking of Baker.

Snodgrass, of the Nationals, who spiked Baker, the Athletic third baseman and batting hero, in the game on Tuesday, has made a formal statement to reporters, denying absolutely that he intentionally spiked Baker. Snodgrass claims that the Athletic blocked the path to the base, and that either he (Snodgrass) had to surrender or go full into the opposing player. Had he done otherwise, said Snodgrass, his manager would have reprimanded him for not taking a necessary chance in the attempt to score. A good deal of feeling has been aroused among fans in Philadelphia by the incident, but it is unlikely that Snodgrass will be set upon, such reports being held irresponsible.

STATE FAIR RACES.

Riderless Horse Shares in Purse at Raleigh, N. C.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 19.—The State fair races today came off in fine form, with excellent track conditions and many thousands of the most enthusiastic spectators to urge to best speed. One untoward feature came near resulting fatally. It was in the 2:20 stake race, when the five runners were making a sharp turn, that there was a mix-up, in which Funny Crank was tipped and threw his rider, Tom Settle, over a high embankment, so that he landed on his face. Concussion of the brain was feared, but he rallied and was able to enter a later race. The horse, Funny Crank, regained his gait in the race, and, riderless, passed under the wire fourth, winning a share of the purse.

TRIAL OF M'NAMARA BROTHERS

Six Jurors Are Now in the Box---Challenges for Unbelief in Connection on Circumstantial Evidence—Other Points

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 20.—Out of eleven talesmen who sat in the jury box at the McNamara murder trial at the opening of court today only six were left when court adjourned until Monday. Of the six, however, it is considered more than posssible that two or perhaps three will find themselves on the jury as it is sworn in.

Those locked up tonight, after having passed for cause by both sides, were: Seaborn Manning, rancher; F. D. Green, orange grower; Robert F. Bain, carpenter.

It is possible that all these will become members of the jury, no animus against any of them on either side being apparent tonight.

A. T. McIntosh, challenged by the State because of his opposition to infliction of the death penalty on circumstantial evidence, will be questioned by the court before he is held or excused.

George W. McKee, who says he is firmly convinced that the Los Angeles Times was blown up by dynamite, was under interrogation by the court at the close of today's session. He is not wanted by counsel for the defense, who assert that James B. McNamara, their client, could not have dynamited the building and caused the death of Charles J. Haggerty, for which he is being tried, because the building was blown up by gas. They, therefore, challenged McKee and are waiting a ruling from Judge Bordwell. McKee says he has no opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant.

A. S. Robinson, after being challenged because of his opposition to conviction on circumstantial evidence, was held by the court, the challenge being disallowed for the time.

T. W. Adams, Ernest F. Decker, E. J. Shower, Otto A. Jesson and H. Y. Quackenbush all were excused upon challenges for indirect bias. This is the closest the State could come, under the California statute to formal challenges, because each man said he said he would not inflict the death penalty upon circumstantial evidence, and Judge Bordwell's efforts to learn if this was their real state of mind, seemed to reveal that it was.

MARRIED IN DARK.

Brides Refuse to Leave Hack During Binding Service.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 20—Because the brides-elect were too timid to enter the lighted parlor of the minister's home to have the marriage ceremony performed, Rev. T. D. Strong, pastor of a Methodist mission at Thunderbolt, a resort near Savannah, performed a double marriage ceremony by the aid of a small electric light at a trolley station on Wednesday night while the grooms stood upon the ground and held the hands of the brides who remained hidden in the shadows cast by the top of a hack hired for the purpose of making the journey from the city.

The parties who were married were Mr. Thomas L. Lasiter and Miss Nora Dukes and Mr. Nisbet A. Morgan and Miss Susie Dukes, all of Savannah. The brides are sisters and the grooms very close friends. They decided upon a double elopement and engaged a hack to drive them to the home of Mr. Strong.

Arriving there the girls refused to enter the house or to get out of the hack. The minister was accommodating and agreed to go to the deserted station to perform the ceremony at 11 o'clock at night. The colored hackman was the only witness to the marriage. Parental forgiveness has been obtained and both couples are happy.

OCEAN TO OCEAN FLYER

Rodgers Gave Texans Spectacular Exhibition

Austin, Texas, Oct. 20.—After circling the capitol dome and engaging in spectacular maneuvers at a high altitude, C. P. Rodgers, the ocean-to-ocean aviator started to the south before 4 o'clock this afternoon and twenty minutes later was compelled to make a rough landing in a field when his engine went "dead."

Except for a shaking up Rodgers suffered no ill effects but several scars to his machine will need re-adjusting before he can resume his flight. In all probability repairs will be completed in time for him to start for San Antonio tomorrow morning. The accident occurred near the village of Kyle, 17 miles from Austin.

Rodgers started this morning from Waco, 110 miles to the north, at 11:15 A. M., several hours later than he had planned owing to repairs needed to his machine. He stopped at Granger, Texas, to give an exhibition and landed at Austin at 1:55 I. M.

THE OBSERVER COMPANY.

Reorganization Effected at Charlotte on Thursday.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 20.—A meeting of the stockholders of The Observer Company was held yesterday afternoon in the company's office and in the company's building.

The directors elected were: Messrs. A. E. Gonzales, D. A. Tompkins, Geo. Stephens, W. H. Wood and Frank M. Caldwell.

After the stockholders' meeting adjourned the directors had a meeting and elected the following officers: George Stephens, president; D. A. Tompkins, secretary; W. H. Wood, treasurer; A. E. Gonzales, publisher and general manager.

Maj. J. C. Hemphill was elected editor.

Mr. D. A. Tompkins has been secretary ever since the organization of the company.

MURDER MYSTERY INVOLVES PASTOR

Sensation in Boston Over Alleged Poisoning of Young Girl.

MINISTER IS A VIRGINIAN

He Had Been Engaged to Beautiful Girl Who Was Found Dead in Bath-room—She Had Been Deceived

Boston, Mass., Oct. 20.—A narrow cell in Charles street jail tonight holds the Rev. Clarence Virgil Thompson Richeson, the young pastor of the Immaniel Baptist church, Cambridge, who was arrested tonight for the alleged murder of pretty Avis Linnell, of Hyannis, Mass., to whom he had been engaged. His commitment to jail this afternoon without bail on a charge of first degree murder marked a temporary end to a chain of circumstances which police detectives have followed assiuously since the death of Miss Linnell last Saturday by cyanide of potassium poisoning. Miss Linnell who was 19 years old and a student at the Conservatory of Music, was found dead in the bath-room of the Ycung Woman's Christian Association home here. At first the police believed she had committed suicide, but later developments indicated that she had unknowingly taken cyanide of potassium sent her by some other person, in the belief that it would remedy her embarrassing physical condition.

For several days the police inquiry made little progress, but information received early today that Mr. Richeson had purchased cyanide of potassium at a drug store in Newton led the officers to decide upon his arrest. A dozen officers headed by Deputy Superintendent Watts were forced to maintain an eight-hour vigil outside the fashionable home in Brookline of Moses Grant Edmands, where the clergyman had been staying during the past week, before the minister was taken into custody, however. Repeated pulls at the door bells, rappings and shouts failed to bring any response from those within the house through the night and the police who were without a warrant, were unwilling to make a forcible entrance.

The deputy, superintendent and his assistants, with a crowd of newspaper men, remained on guard until about 7 A. M., when they were admitted. Mr. Edmands is the father of Miss Violet Edmands for whose marriage to Mr. Richeson on October 31st cards had been issued. These invitations were re-called today. The Edmands family, however, maintain faith in Mr. Richeson and the only announcement in connection with the withdrawal of the cards was that the marriage had been postponed.

The setting of October 31st as the date for a further hearing of Mr. Richeson developed a co-incidence in the fact that the day is that on which he is to be married. But neither the announcement of the date or any other happening in connection with his arrest seemed to disturb the prisoner.

Even when faced by William Hahn, the Newton druggist, who declared that Richeson had purchased cyanide of potassium from him a week ago Tuesday—the minister was unperturbed, apparently. As Hahn was shown into the room at police headquarters Richeson stepped forward and shook his hand. It was noticeable that the druggist was more moved than the accused man. Facing the clergyman, Hahn, who has known Mr. Richeson for several years, told how Richeson walked into his store, Tuesday morning, October 10th, and said: "I've got a dog at home that is creating a disturbance. She will be a nuisance unless I can kill her soon." Mr. Hahn said that he responded to Richeson: "I never knew you had a dog," and that Richeson replied that he kept it in his room. Inquiry by the police where Mr. Richeson roomed developed the preesnce only of a male dog owned by the landlord, who said Richeson had never owned a dog during the eight months he had lodged there.

Hahn said further that he suggested chloroform to Mr. Richeson, but the minister wanted "something that will work quick."

Cyanide of potassium was mentioned as acting instantly and the druggist said he gave Richeson enough to kill three dogs, but the minister asked for more and the preparation finally amounted to enough to poison ten men. As Mr. Richeson turned to go, Hahn says the clergyman reminded him of his coming wedding to Miss Edmands and said, "Don't forget to come," adding, "it must seem mysterious to you about my buying this, but you can keep a secret."

This story brought to Chief Inspector Dugan, of the Boston police by Hahn's attorney, led to Richeson's arrest.

In an official statement regarding Richeson's arrest, Superintendent Watts said he found the minister in bed and awake, but looking disturbed. He trembled as he dressed after he had been told he would have to go to police headquarters and be charged with the murder of Miss Linnell. He was allowed to talk privately with Mr. Edmands, and later went into the room where Violet Edmands lay ill and unnerved by the shock to say farewell. As he bent over to caress Miss

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THE VICTORY A BARREN ONE

Attorneys General of Southern States Find Proposed Dissolution of Tobacco Trust a Distinction Without Difference

New York, Oct. 20.—After thoroughly studying the plan of disintegration that has been filed by the American Tobacco Company with the judges of the United States Circuit Court, the attorneys general of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, who have been in conference here on this matter for two days, reached the conclusion late today that the scheme proposed will offer no relief to tobacco growers of this country. They furthermore express belief that should this plan be adopted the victory of the government resulting from the decision of the United States Supreme Court would be a "barren one."

The conference decided to file tomorrow a petition in the United States Circuit Court asking that the Southern States represented at the conference be permitted to file written objections to the plan of dissolution and to be heard at the hearing set for October 30th.

Attorney General T. W. Bickett, of North Carolina, and Attorney General J. T. Lyons, of South Carolina, and Attorney General Williams of Virginia, participated in the conference to determine whether the plan carried out the decree of the Supreme Court, and would give Southern tobacco planters and others interested in the tobacco industry in their States the relief desired. They talked over the situation with Attorney Felix H. Levy who is associated with Louis D. Brandeis, of Boston, as consel for the independent tobacco associations. At the conclusion of an all-day session, the following statement was made public:

"The attorneys general of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina state that they have reached the conclusion that the plan of dissolution proposed by the American Tobacco Company is not a substantial compliance with the judgment of the Supreme Court of the United States and will offer no relief to the tobacco growers of the country; that they are filing with the Circuit Court a petition to be allowed to file written objections to the plan of dissolution and to be heard orally at the hearing ordered by the court for October 30th; that, in their opinion, if the plan of dissolution be adopted the victory of the government would be a barren one."

Tonight the Southern attorneys general prepared the petition to be filed in the Circuit Court tomorrow. Should the court grant the petition they will remain here until after the papers containing their objections are prepared.

HEARST A DEMOCRAT.

Back in the Fold After His Independence Deflection.

New York, Oct. 19.—Out of William R. Hearst's announcement that he was back in the regular Democratic fold there grew much speculation today regarding the fate of the Independence League. This organization was founded by Mr. Hearst and nominated candidates supported by him in the last National and State campaigns. The question now is, to what extent if at all he will use the league in coming political battles.

Mr. Hearst declared himself last night at the opening rally of the local campaign. "I am speaking," he said, "as a good citizen, I hope, and also as a good Democrat. Mr. Murphy and his kind drove me out of the Democratic party five years ago, but the commendable course of the National Democracy has brought me back into the fold."

He declared he would continue his fight against the "undemocratic principles" of Tammany Hall, but that the greatest benefit loyal Democrats could confer upon the National Democracy was to free it of the "hindrance and handicap of Murphy and Tammany Hall."

Lexington, Va., Oct. 20.—The resignation of Dr. George Hutcheson Denny, president of Washington and Lee University, was formally accepted tonight by the university board of trustees. He will assume the duties of president of the University of Alabama at the beginning of the year. A committee of three was appointed to select a successor to Dr. Denny.

OUTLINES.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 3-8, offered at 2 1-2 per cent. Flour nominally higher with wheat. Wheat spot firm, No. 2 red 1.03 1-2 elevator export basis and 1.04 f.o.b. afloat. Spot cotton closed dull, 10 points higher. Rosin and turpentine steady.

The Chinese rebels, instead of the Imeprial troops, won the victory at Hankow, and the result may be that the insurrection will become widespread; there are 19 foreign warships there, including three American vessels——Boston is stirred by a great sensation concerning the murder of pretty Avis Linnell, for whose poisoning the Rev. Clarence Richeson, formerly of Virginia, is in jail —— Rain again prevented the resumption of the world's series of baseball at Philadelphia yesterday; the fourth game will be played today, the weather permitting — — Attorneys General of Southern States in New York yesterday strongly opposed the plan of dissolution of the American Tobacco Co., as affording no relief whatever to growers and will file a petition in the Circuit Court, protesting against the terms as proposed.

PRESIDENT TAFT ON SHERMAN ACT

Declares it Will be Enforced in Spite of Any Squealing.

HOTLY RESENTS CRITICISMS

President Taft Declares Some Want to Down Administration for Prosecuting Trusts—Made Speech in Wyoming.

New Castle, Wyo., Oct. 20.—President Taft again made it clear in a speech here tonight that it is his intention to enforce the Sherman anti-trust act, no matter how much offending combinations squeal for mercy.

"The Supreme Court," said Mr. Taft, "has rendered two decisions, one against the Standard Oil Company, requiring it to be broken up and disintegrated into parts, and the other against the American Tobacco Company. There are other companies that are charged in the same way. Some of them are coming in to voluntarily divide themselves up, and just as we are about to reach a proper and successful administration of the law, we begin to find that there are some people who object to the administration because of the fact that we are prosecuting these trusts and we are enforcing the law.

"It is a case where the administration is going to be damned if it does not and damned if it does. Our understanding in the administration is that when the President lifted his hand and swore to defend the constitution and enforce the law, it meant something, and when there was a law upon the statute books for 20 years to suppress these combinations against interstate trade, to monopolize and to interfere with that trade and to control prices, that it was his business and the business of all under him to enforce the law, and that is what we are doing and that is what we propose to do, no matter whether we be damned or not.

"The prosecution of these great combinations that have been trying to prevent competition must go on until either the law is repealed or the law is enforced, that no combinations shall exist which shall be able to prevent competition and establish a monopoly and that is the policy which the administration has adopted and one it intends to carry through."

The President spent the day traveling in Northern Wyoming. He started at Sheridan in the morning, with the thermometer down around 25, and stopped for the night in New Castle.

Mr. Taft's speech here was commenced just as snow began to fall.

FOREMAN A HERO.

Twelve Men Drowned in Mine Shaft in New York.

Hibernia, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Destruction of a wall dividing a new and an old shaft in the iron mines of the Wharton Steel Company precipitated great volumes of water onto a gang of workmen early today. Twelve men were drowned. All were foreigners except David Slaight, the foreman, who lost his life trying to save his men.

The accident occurred in the new Langdon shaft, 300 feet below ground, where 60 men were working. Between this shaft and the abandoned one was a partition of logs. A blast fired soon after the day shift went to work weakened this barrier so that it gave way before the water in the adjoining gallery.

Instantly the water was over the miners' heads. They swam in the darkness toward the opening leading to a higher level. Those who lost their lives were unable to swim or were pushed down by their struggling mates.

Slaight, the foreman, was in a position of safety when the deluge came but he rushed into the submerged shaft to assist the drowning men and was caught there with the other victims.

STEPS ON CHARGED WIRE

Young Woman Instantly Killed and Her Mother Shocked

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 19.—Miss Hosanna Baker was instantly electrocuted in front of her home, in Pinner's Avenue, Pinner's Point, tonight, and her mother was badly shocked while trying to save her daughter. Miss Baker was only eighteen years old, it is said.

A heavily charged telephone wire fell in front of the Baker home early tonight, and when Miss Baker stepped out of her front door she could not see it in the dark. The Bakers came here some time ago from Aulander, N. C.

ATTELL AGAINST BURNS.

Decision by Sporting Writers of New Orleans to be Awarded.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 20.—William Powell, trainer for Monet Attell, states that Attell will insist on a decision by the referee in his ten-round bout with Frankie Burns, of New Jersey, at the Orleans Athletic Club, next Monday night.

For some time decisions have been awarded by a vote of the sporting writers. Both Attell and Burns say they are in excellent condition. They will fight at 118 pounds.

INVESTIGATION OF LORIMER

Senator Broderick Had to Face Give-Away Letter—Made False Statements and Finally Had to Tell Truth

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Despite all his previous assertion to the contrary State Senator John Broderick, of Chicago, on the witness stand before the committee of United States Senators investigating the Lorimer case, today was forced to admit that he sent for Former State Senator D. W. Holtslaw, of Iukaw, following the election of Senator Lorimer in 1909. Broderick's admissions was secured after Attorney Healy, of counsel for the committee, unexpectedly produced a letter from Broderick to Holtslaw in which Broderick asked the Iukaw man to meet him in Chicago August 4th, 1909. Holtslaw, in a confession made in the Summer of 1910, said he was paid $2,500 by Broderick for Holtslaw's vote for Lorimer.

Holtslaw said this payment was made in Chicago after Broderick had written him to come to Chicago. Broderick not only denied that he had made such a payment, but insisted until today that he had never sent for Holstlaw. The Chicago Senator said that Holstlaw just happened to "drop in" while on a business trip to Chicago at the time charged Holstlaw came to get the alleged Lorimer money.

Counsel for senatorial committee said Broderick's admission, in their opinion, was the most important development that has thus far marked the hearings in Chicago.

PUBLIC MEN TRUE TO TRUST

Senator Jones Stands Up for Them in These Days of Scandal

Chicago, Oct. 20.—At a banquet of the Sons of the American Revolution last night United States Senator Wesley L. Jones, of Washington, in an address took issue with Charles E. Merriam, former Republican candidate for Mayor of Chicago, regarding the honesty of public men of today.

Mr. Mirriam had delivered an address on Abraham Lincoln, in which he eulogized the emancipator and declared that "jack-pot" scandals were unknown in connection with his election.

Senator Jones, who is a member of the Lorimer investigating committee now in session here, in an address following Mr. Merriam, said: "In my judgment time will show that the men in high office today who are denounced are equally honest with Washington, Lincoln and McKinley."

BENAHZI SHELLED

Italian Fleet Poured Hot Shot Into Tripoli Post

Benahzi, Tripoli, Oct. 20.—This city was shelled by the Italian fleet under Rear Admiral Audrey yesterday and later a force of 4,000 Italians occupied a part of the town after a brisk fight with the Turkish and Arab defenders. Rear Admiral Aubrey demanded the surrender of the town Wednesday when his fleet arrived in the roadstead. The Turkish commander refused and was notified that unless he changed his mind before 6 o'clock the next morning, a bombardment would commence.

There were numerous casaulties on both sides, the Arabs making a strong resistance after the Turks had fled.

Many of the Italians camped on the beach tonight but others occupied the barracks which were in the portion of the town captured.

BOLL WEEVIL EATS OKRA

Statements by Experts on Agriculture Refuted by Pest's Menu

Pass Christian, Miss., Oct. 20.—Mistaking okra stalks for cotton plants the voracious boll weevil hereabouts is now dining off okra pods instead of his usual repast—cotton bolls.

The pest's change of menu and diet, say the farmers of this section, completely refutes the statements of professional agricultural experts that the insect confines itself to cotton exclusively.

That the bugs were genuine boll weevils was substantiated by a thorough investigation by planters who said they know the boll weevil intimately. They assert that these bugs took the okra plant because of its similarity to the cotton plant.

HYDE'S NECK SAVED

Murderer of Wife and Her Father at Anderson, S. C.

Anderson, S. C., Oct. 20.—Pending an appeal to the State Supreme Court the death sentence of Samuel N. Hyde who slew his wife and her father on the night of July 18th, has been stayed by an order from Judge Prince, the presiding judge.

Hyde was convicted of the murders four weeks ago and was sentenced to hang today. He sent for his attorney three days ago and stated that he was ready to die and was willing for the appeal to the Supreme Court to be abandoned. The attorney, however, stated he would take the appeal, which will be heard by the Supreme Court next January.

CAPON SPRINGS HOTEL

Burned Yesterday With Other Property Near Winchester, Va.

Winchester, Va., Oct. 20.—Capon Springs Hotel, one of the noted Summer resorts in West Virginia, near here, was destroyed by fire tonight along with the cottages and bath houses, the postoffice and Hannum's store. The loss will exceed $100,000 with insurance of about $40,000. The hotel had just been closed after a successful season.

REBEL VICTORY HAS LEAKED OUT

Chinese Government Suppressed Truth About Battle Fought at Hankow.

MAY HAVE SERIOUS EFFECT

Twenty Thousand Imperial Troops to be Sent to Hankow—Nineteen Foreign Warships There. Insurrection.

The Imperial Chinese forces met with defeat Wednesday at Hankow, being driven back from the city by the rebels. The extent of the defeat is not yet known but the government forces are reported to be entrenched seven miles north of Hankow awaiting reinforcements.

The warships which took part in the engagement, with one exception, retreated down the river. One of the vessels, it is reported, went over to the revolutionists.

Consular despatches received at Peking from the province of Yun Nan report disaffection among the troops there, who threaten to mutiny. The Chinese government admits a serious situation at Chang Sha province of Hu Nan and this admission is believed to indicate that the people of Shang Sha have joined the revolt.

It is feared by the legations at Peking that news of the repulse of the government forces at Hankow will utterly demoralize the troops now mobilizing and also that the provinces south of the Yank Tse and some of those north of the river will secede.

Although the Peking government reports that War Minister Yin Tchang has about completed the mobilization o fthe army with which to put down the rebellion the foreign ministry alone seems to have confidence in its proposed attack against the enemy. The fear generally seems to prevail that he will rely on proclamations and negotiations with the enemy, being fearful of or unable to move his army.

The financial crisis is threatened at Shanghai, where several native banks have suspended payment.

Defeat Was Suppressed.

Peking, Oct. 20.—It is apparent here tonight that the Imperial government knew the result of the battle at Hankow between its forces and the rebels more than 24 hours before it became public. Reports of the rebel victory gradually leaked out during the day, but the first positive account of the defeat of the imperial troops was delivered to the foreign legations tonight by the Associated Press. It caused a profound impression.

The success of the revolution has been considered here to hinge upon the result of the first encounter, as its moral effect would be far reaching. When the fugitive imperialists reach the main army, now mobilizing near Sin Yang Chow, knowledge of the repulse, it is believed, will utterly demoralize the troops, while as the news travels along the Yang Tse river, it probably will cause important adhesions to the rebel cause.

The foreign legations here believe that today's news from Hankow and Yun-Nan will mean that the provinces south of the Yang Tse and also some on the north side of the river, sooner or later will secede.

The government acknowledges there is a serious situation in Chang Sha province of Hu Nan, which it is believed in Peking means that Chang Sha has joined the revolt.

Foreigners whose business it is to study China think the northern provinces, which are not deeply affected by sedition, may rally around the Manchus. Everything, however, seems to depend on an immediate and successful advance by Minister of War Yin-Tchang, who now commands 20,000 men within 100 miles of Hankow; but only the foreign ministry pretends to enjoy confidence in his promised attack.

Already Yin Tchang is issuing proclamations offering pardons to all who desert the rebel standard, and it is believed he will rely on proclamations and negotiations, fearing, or being unable to move his army.

At midnight tonight a report from Yin Tchang was published in the Official Gazette. It does not refer to Wednesday's fight at Hankow. It says the 22nd regiment arrived at Hankow Sunday and that the rebels attacked twice, but were repulsed and that three rebels were captured. His spies report that the rebels are preparing for a defense of Wu Chang and Hankow. Many desertions from the rebel ranks are reported. Yin Tchang says he has made Sin Yang Chow his temporary headquarters and will proceed southward after the arrival of the fourth division of troops.

An edict, which also is published, sanctions Yin Tchang's proposals and says it hopes he will lose no time in suppressing the rebels. Another edict expresses compassion for the people in those provinces which are suffering from drought and rebellion, and orders 200,000 taels from the late Empress Dowager's hoard to be paid to Yuan Shi Kai, who will arrange for its distribution among the distressed people.

Foreign Ships at Hankow

Shanghai, Oct. 20.—There are a total of 18 foreign warships at Hankow and others are proceeding there. Many foreign vessels are also at other ports on the Yang Tse Kiang. The Ameri-

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BASEBAL MATINEE TODAY

Game If Played, Will Be Received in Detail at Lyric Theatre

The prospects for another championship game today being brighter than since Tuesday, it is confidently expected that the fourth game will be pulled off at Shibe Park, Philadelphia, this afternoon. The probable batteries will be Christy Mathewson and Chief Myers for the Giants, and Big Chief Bender and Thomas for the Athletics. Both teams are fresh and entirely over the results of the two strenuous battles the first of the week and as Christy himself remarked in yesterday's Washington Post, "the game won't be any pink tea, either." 'Good night" Baker will be in the game, having recovered from his injuries, but it is nardly thought that he will be able to repeat on Mathewson, now that he is on to the Philadelphia lad's tricks.

Arrangements have been completed for another Saturday afternoon baseball matinee the same as was so successfully pulled off last Saturday, the Western Union promises to furnish the same excellent continuous report from the time the crowds begin to assemble until the game is over. The matinee will be held at the New Lyric Theatre on Market street, it being impossible to get the Palace on account of the show. The first regular performance at the Lyric will be held off until the game is over. The price will be the same, 25 cents, and no doubt everybody who attended last Saturday's matinee will be present to get the best report of the game possible at long range. The doors will open at 1 o'clock and there will be something doing from then till the game is over.

CHEROKEE INN SOLD

Asheville Hostelry Changes Hands---Death of Girl—Land Suit

Asheville, Oct. 20.—Guy Weaver, as trustee, has sold the Cherokee Inn under deed of trust given by Joseph E. Johnson to R. P. Robinson to secure a balance on the purchase price. The sale was made subject to a prior lien of $13,000 due the heirs of S. H. Reed and was bid in by Mr. Robinson for $11,000. Taking into consideration previous liends, etc., the property cost Mr. Robinson about $27,000. This is a valuable hostelry and is located on College street. D. W. Misenheimer has been conducting it and will continue as the proprietor.

Miss Lela Austin, daughter of Mrs. M. C. Austin, who came here about a year ago from Jackson, Miss., died last night at the Meriwether Hospital, following an operation for appendicitis. She was a student at the Normal and Collegiate Institute and was planning to graduate in June. She was just 16 years of age, and was a member of the First Baptist church. Surviving are the mother, and one brother, Enoch Austin. The remains will be taken to Hickory for interment.

J. A. Porter has instituted suit against the American Cigar Box Lumber Company to compell that company to carry out an agreement by which it is alleged that Mr. Porter was to purchase from W. E. Upeagrove, the agent and president of the company, 25,000 acres of timber land in Haywood and Madison counties,, known as the "Scottish" lands. The plaintiff contends he bargained to buy the land at $15 per acre, to pay $80,000 in cash and the rest in one, two and three yers, and that the defendant now refuses to transfer that land.

DELAY ON PRINCETON HEAD

Committee Not Yet Agreed on Woodrow Wilson's Successor

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 19.—It was announced at the last minute by Charles W. McAlphin, secretary of Princeton University, that the trustees' meeting scheduled for today had been postponed for one week.

It is generally understood that this delay in holding the meeting was decided upon because of the presidential situation, which is still unsettled.

It was generally understood yesterday that if the trustees met today no conclusion could be reached as to the successor of Gov. Woodrow Wilson. The committee on the selection of a president is still unable to make a satisfactory report.

The postponement of today's meeting, however, is looked upon as a sign that some conclusion will be reached by the committee before next Thursday, when the entire board assembles to hear the report.

The names now most prominently mentioned for the presidency are those of Dean Henry B. Fine, President John G. Hibben and President Garfield, of Williams College.

GLIDDENITES AT ANDERSON

South Carolina Town in Gala Attire to Receive Them

Anderson, S. C., Oct. 20.—With a record of 18 cars winning perfect scores for the day's run from Charlotte, the Glidden tourists began arriving here at 2 o'clock this afternoon and by 7:30 all but two of them contesting had checked in. The two missing cars are said to be between here and Greenville and are expected to arrive tonight.

Anderson was in gala attire to greet the tourists and thousands lined the streets as the visiting machines, escorted by a score or more local cars, rolled into the city. A reception was tendered the Gliddenites at a local hotel.

The 160 miles from Charlotte to Anderson was made today without a single serious mishap.The tour will be resumed tomorrow at 8 o'clock with the noon control at Commerce, Ga. The tourists expect to reach Atlanta about 3:30 in the afternoon, where they will stop until Monday.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED

Milwaukee Man Brutally Beaten by Thieves at New York

New York, Oct. 20.—John C. Golding, of Milwaukee, was found crawling on his hands and knees out of an uptown saloon by a policeman earily today. Golding, who bore marks of a terrific encounter, told the bluecoat that he had been assaulted by unknown men and had missed cash and jewelry valued at $1,500 when he recovered consciousness.

Within the saloon the policeman found half a dozen broken teeth, shattered eye glasses, a broken plate containing four false teeth, several articles of jewelry and a trail of blood leading down two flights of stairs to the doorway. Golding's assailants have not been found.

CARDINAL'S TENDER HEART

Touching Incident Yesterday at Funeral of Bishop Van de Vyver

Richmond, Va., Oct. 20.—Hand in hand with an eight-year-old boy, Cardinal Gibbons, forsaking his vestments for the frock coat and silk hat of private life, walked the mile from Sacred Heart Cathedral today to Mount Calvary Cemetery, where Bishop Van de Vyver was buried. The aged cardinal stepped aside after conducting the high requiem mass in the Cathedral and in a side room removed his vestments.

Father Bowler, the victor general of the diocese and Father Magni, the chancellor, saw him going quietly out a postern door and found him just as he and the lad had agreed to go to the cemetery on foot. They were entreated to take the carriage awaiting them. They said the thousands of people within and without the church would be distressed to see their venerable cardinal afoot. The cardinal smiled.

"My heart is heavy," he said, "and I need the air. This child will lead me."

And they walked away hand in hand, leaving the priests and bystanders in perplexity.

The principal obsequies were held in the Cathedral at 11 A. M., at which a requiem high mass was sung for the repose of the soul, Cardinal Gibbons pronounced the absolution.

The pall-bearers were men of all creeds, high in the public life of Virginia. The cardinal and other high dignitaries of the church, including bishops and priests from other cities, were among the large number who followed the bishop's body to Mount Calvary cemetery this afternoon.

DROWNED IN VIRGINIA.

Son of Apple Grower Swept to Death by Treacherous Current.

Winchester, Va., Oct. 19.—Instead of crossing the Capon river at Capon bridge, Hampshire county, yesterday with a wagon loaded with 135 barrels, intended for a fruit grower in another section of the county, Romanus Farmer, 26 years old, and son of John Farmer, attempted to ford the river several hundred yards above the bridge and take a shorter route, and in doing so a treacherous undercurrent swept him to death. Rains the night before had turned the river into a raging torrent.

Large bodies of men have been dragging the river all day, but his body had not been found up to a late hour tonight.

Three mules broke loose from the wagon and escaped, but the horse Farmer was riding was drowned. Its body was found this afternoon six miles below Capon bridge.

Barrels floating down the river gave the first intimation of the tragedy.

GET-RICH-QUICK SCHEME.

Grand Jury Indicts Trust Company People as Lottery.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 20.—Charged with using the mails to defraud and to promote a lottery whereby they secured nearly a half million dollars, Richard Purvis, president of the Southern Loan & Trust Company, of this city, and three other officers of the same concern, were indicted by the Federal grand jury here today. The other officers were Ernest O. Heim, vice president; Guy King, secretary, and W. N. Smith, a former president.

It is charged that the company sold loan contracts which only a part could be fulfilled and that in buying a contract an investor was really purchasing a lottery ticket.

The government charges that letters detailing the company's scheme have been sent throughout the South.

Purvis and his associates were arrested last July at the instance of postoffice inspectors and placed under bonds.

CLYDE LINE SHIP IN TROUBLE

George W. Clyde Disabled Off Cape Charles

New York, Oct. 20.—The Clyde Line steamer George W. Clyde is disabled and lying at anchor in a rough sea with a stiff northeast wind blowing, 31 miles northeast of the Cape Charles lightship, according to a wireless message received here this afternoon. The position of the vessel is given as latitude 37.30, logitude 75.20. The main shaft of the steamer is reported broken. The dispatch stated that the vessel's owners had been notified by wireless of her plight.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The revenue cutter Onondaga which intercepted the distress signals of the disabled Clyde Line steamer George W. Clyde, has gone to the assistance of the vessel off Cape Charles lightship. The commander of the Onondaga tonight advised the revenue cutter service that he was proceeding to sea from Hampton Roads.

WORLD'S VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Secretary Hester's Statement of Cotton as Issued on Yesterday.

New Orleans, Oct. 20.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, issued today, shows the total visible to be 3,133,853 bales against 2,763,079 last week and 2,745,499 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 2,608,853 against 2,226,079 last week and 2,195,499 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 525,000 bales against 527,000 last week and 550,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,612,000 bales against 1,439,000 last year; in Egypt 70,000 against 104,000 last year; in India 254,000 against 206,000 last year, and in the United States 1,198,000 against 996,000 last year.

THE STEPHENSON INQUIRY.

Robert J. Shields on the Stand—Conversations That He Had.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 20.—Robert J. Shields, mentioned in previous testimony as having been employed by Edward Hines, the lumber man on special occasions, denied before the Senatorial investigation committee today that he assisted improperly in the election of United States Senator Isaac Stephenson. He denied having anything to do with the agreement whereby Hines and Stephenson were each to contribute $55,000 to "put over" the election or that he received $7,500 or any other amount as his share in such work.

Previous to Shields' appearance Wirt H. Cook, a lumber man of Duluth, testified he had talked with Shields on a train between Duluth and Chicago late in 1909. Having in mind a story told him by Daniel Haley, another Duluth lumber man, that Shields had a dispute with Hines, because he, (Shields), was to receive $15,000 for "doing a job at Madison," but only got $7,500 for it, Cook testified that he asked Shields, "How did you come out on that Madison job?" and Shields had replied, "That's all settled."

Shields said he did not make such a remark. He also denied this testimony by Cook.

"Shields told me he would shoot me if I did him any harm."

During the examination Charles E. Littlefield, counsel for Senator Stephenson, referred to a conversation, the details of which had been given by Cook. Cook testified that in May, 1909, in a hotel lobby in Chicago, he overheard Hines say to Henry Turrish, Cook's partner: "I am having an awful time. For instance, this Stephenson voting for free lumber and after I elected him, too. I have had a terrible time getting him lined up. It also seems hard to get those Southern Democrats in line."

Attorney Littlefield called attention to similar testimony given by Cook in the Lorimer case and wanted to know if Cook was not referring to Hines' attitude toward Southern Democrats and not toward Senator Stephenson.

FAIR BURNED OUT

Three Days Before Mecklenburg's Week—All Buildings Burned

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 20.—Fire finished tonight what the fates had begun for the Mecklenburg county fair, when it wiped out every exhibit building on the grounds and left the big aerea in the suburbs, a blackened waste, just three days prior to the opening.

The first block of the enterprise came yesterday with the announcement of the tragic death of Aviator Ely, at Macon, after the fair directors had been advertising him extensively as a drawing card. Tonight fire of unknown origin, discovered in the grandstand destroyed everything inflammable on the grounds. Workmen were busy putting up the buildings and exhibits in shape for the fair, which opens Monday. The loss cannot be estimated at this time. Undaunted the directors announce tonight that the fair will be held according to programme.

WRIGHT BROTHERS.

Discovery Will Vastly Add to Safety of Aerial Navigation.

New York, Oct. 21.—The Wright brothers, Orville and Wilbur, have perfected a discovery expected to add vastly to the safety of aviation. A special dispatch to the Herald this morning from the Wright camp, Kill Devil Hill, N. C., says, according to the dispatch, Orville Wright in making the announcement stated that the device was one for the automatic controlling of gliders and power driven aeroplanes to keep such machines at proper balance in the air. The device is expected to be put into practical use today for the first time. No description of its features was given by the inventor.

COTTON MILLS' SALE.

German-American Company at Draper, N. C., to be Sold.

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 20.—In United States Court here today a decree of foreclosure of a deed of trust executed by the German-American Company, cotton manufacturers, of Draper, N. C., to the New York Trust Company, to secure $400,000 worth of bonds, was signed, together with an order directing a sale of the property of the German-American Company as soon as practicable. The report of Receiver E. D. Pitcher showed that the liabilities of the company were more than a million dollars, while the assets were less than half this amount.

Hamburg, Oct. 20.—Two English steamers collided in the mouth of the Elbe during a fog today. One of the vessels sank and the other stranded. No details were available late this afternoon.

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The endorsement referred to by Mrs. Bordeaux was in substance as follows: "I suffered from dull pains in the small of my back and some days I could hardly get about to attend to my housework. I had a kidney weakness that caused me great annoyance and I knew that a kidney medicine was needed. When I read about Doan's Kidney Pills, I at once got a supply at Bellamy's drug store and they restored me to good health. Another member of my family has also taken Doan's Kidney Pills with benefit."

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Most of life's so-called tragedies are merely comedies.

JUMPED FROM TRUCK.

Son of Col. Thos. Wilson, of Sumter, Breaks a Leg.

Sumter, S. C., Oct. 20.—Mr. W. B. Wilson, a son of Col Thomas Wilson, of this city, had his leg broken as he was returning from Summerton in a motor truck on the Northwestern railway. The accident occurred as the truck was entering the city. Several box cars were on the track and in the dark Mr. Wilson and Mr. White thought that they were backing on them. Not having time to reverse the motion of the truck, the current was turned off and both men jumped. In his fall Mr. Wilson's leg was caught between obstacles and broken off just above the ankle. The others on the truck escaped injury.

STORM IN GUILFORD.

Considerable Damage in Country Near High Point, N. C.

High Point, N. C., Oct. 20.—The heavy downpour of rain and the fierce wind which struck High Point the middle part of the week, is reported to have done considerable damage in the country south of High Point, just beyong Archdale, but fortunately, no lives were lost. The hurricane swept about a mile in width, where itup-rooted trees, tore down fences, and outhouses. Twenty-five or more haystacks were blown down and scattered, and one farmer's sheet iron poultry house was blown away and has not as yet been found. It is estimated that the loss will reach thousands of dollars.

CLAIMS SELF-DEFENSE.

Tennessee Officer Released Under a Thousand-Dollar Bond.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 20.—A special grand jury empanelled at Pineville returned a true bill against Andrew Hughes, charging involuntary manslaughter.

The court fixed Hughes' bond at $1,000, which was made promptly and he was released. Hughes killed Jacob Van Debbers at Middlesboro, Ky., on Monday night and claimed self-defense.

Hughes is sheriff of Claiborne county, Tenn., and a brother of Judge H. Y. Hughes, of the court of civil appeals of Tennessee.

RODGERS IS CAREFUL

Ely Tragedy Makes Western Aviator More Cautious

Waco, Texas, Oct. 20.—Aviator C. P. Rodgers, learning of the death of Eugene Ely at Macon, Ga., yesterday, made a minute inspection of his biplane today that probably saved him from death or serious accident, for he discovered damage that caused his leaving Waco to be postponed for two hours.

The elevator and rudder wires were worn so thin that the coast-to-coast aviator doubted their lasting through today's proposed flight of 188 miles from Waco to San Antonio. Repair work was begun at once.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER.

Judge Allen Rebukes Applause in Court at Hillsboro.

Hillsboro, N. C., Oct. 20.—Ernest Ray was acquitted here today of the charge of murdering Henry Jones near Chapel Hill last January. Ray killed Jones in the course of a quarrel. The court room was crowded when the jury returned its verdict and Judge Allen was compelled to rebuke friends of Ray for their outburst of applause. Ray is a prominent Orange county farmer and Jones was his neighbor.

Atlanta, Oct. 20.—J. M. Shelley, who years ago is said to have been cashier of the Commercial National Bank of Charlotte, N. C., was struck and killed by an automobile here last night. Little is known about him here, although he had lived in this city a long time. He was identified by an acquaintance who said the old man originally came from High Point, N. C.

GRADING.

Sealed proposals for grading Brunswick street, between Water and Second, will be received by the Councilman of Streets and Wharves at the City Hall, Wilmington, N. C., up to noon Oct. 24, 1911, and will then be opened and publicly read. They shall be addressed to P. Q. Moore, Councilman of Streets and Wharves, and endorsed "Proposals to Grade Brunswick Street."

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 5% of the contract price, made payable to the Mayor of the City of Wilmington.

Blank forms of proposal and plan and profile may be had at the office of the City Engineer.

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ELY'S BODY SHIPPED.

Remains of Aviator Taken to Iowa State for Burial.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 20.—The body of Aviator Eugene Ely, who was killed by a fall from his aeroplane at the State fair grounds yesterday afternoon, was shipped at an early hour this morning to Davenport, Ia., at the request of his wife, who will join the remains there. A director of the State fair association accompanied the body. With the remains went hundreds of floral offerings sent by the people of Macon.

The death of the famous aviator cast a gloom over the whole city and surrounding territory. Thousands of people had seen Ely make his daring flights and felt that they knew him personally.

The cause of the accident yesterday has not been determined, and it is hardly probable that it ever will. There was absolutely no wind at the time and the machine was in perfect condition when Ely left the ground with it, as he had only a few moments before risen to a height of 3,100 feet with it. His two mechanicians who witnessed the accident state that they are unable to determine what caused the trouble unless Ely pulled the wrong lever.

He was making one of his famous dips, the engines had been slowed down and he was sailing across the fair grounds at a rapid rate. Ely was seen to grab one of the levers and his assistants thought that he was attempting to start up again. Instead the machine crashed to the ground, throwing Ely 50 feet from it. His neck was broken by the fall. The machine was so badly wrecked that an examination of it to determine the cause of the accident would have been useless.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 20.—Branches of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Associations throughout New York were represented here today at the opening of the annual State convention of the organization. An initiation of 500 candidates will be one of the principal features of the gathering. The sessions will continue over tomorrow, concluding tomorrow night with a banquet at the Hotel Seneca. Among the guests at the banquet will be several of the supreme officers of the association.

Dubuque, Ia., Oct. 20.—Hugh Robinson, the aviator, who is on his way from Minneapolis to New Orleans in a hydro-aeroplane, rose from here at 10:30 today, his start having been delayed by a thick fog. He circled the city and then started South. His first stop is planned to be Belleview, 20 miles from here. He expected to reach Rock Island, 99 miles from here, by night.

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BUILD SCENIC HIGHWAY.

Asheville Striving for the City Beautiful—Proposed Drive.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 20.—There is a proposition on foot to build a scenic highway near Asheville which will, if carried out, prove one of the most popular drives among the many already in this section. The main objective point of the drive will be Gold View, which is about six miles from the city and affords one of the most beautiful panoramas of scenery in this part of the State. It is proposed to build the drive from the DuBose gap on the Asheville and East Tennessee Railroad and also on the Burnsville macadam road to the top of Gold View mountain and thence down the sloping ridge adjoining that mountain in curves back to the Burnsville road near New Bridge station. The proposition will be submitted to the Good Roads Association and that organization is expected to join with the owners of the property through which the drive passes in the expense of construction.

Only those who have been over the route of the proposed drive can realize the numbers of beautiful vistas that will be opened up to the tourists and others by its construction. There will be a dozen points on the way where views can be obtained that are not to be surpassed in beauty and grandeur of extent. The most comprehensive view will be at Gold View perhaps, where an unbroken chain of mountains is visible, while to the west and in the middle foreground the French Broad river can be seen winding its way toward the northwest. To the east is the Elk mountain and Gooch's peak; and to the north there is an unobstructed view of the Bald mountain and the peaks surrounding Mt. Mitchell, while to the south is Asheville and Pisgah mountain.

Further down on the ride the French Broad is visible for three miles in winding curves with the quiet waters of the Weaver dam and the rocky shoals.

The route will be surveyed not only with a view to the grade, but will take in those places where the scenery can be seen to the best advantage.

STATE FAIR ASSOCIATION

Col. E. F. MacRae Re-elected President With Secretary Pogue

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 20.—The North Carolina Agricultural Society, better known as the State Fair Association, tonight re-elected all the old officers, including E. F. MacRae, Maxton, president; J. E. Pogue, secretary, and S. L. Rotter, treasurer. In the vice presidents the changes were J. A. Wilkerson, Belhaven, for the Frist District; J. E. Finley, Wilkesboro, for the Seventh District; T. B. Beard, Salisbury, for the Eighth District, and E. E. Howard, Waynesville, for the Tenth District.

A resolution was passed asking the State Board of Agriculture to provide a building of its own at the fair for the department and experiment station.

Secretary Pogue indulged in the prophecy that ultimately the logical and very desirable sequence would come that the State Fair would be managed by the State Board of Agriculture, as are most of the successful fairs of the country. He hoped to see this here. Incompleted financial reports indicated that this fair will show the biggest revenue in the history of the association by several thousand dollars.

President McRae, of the State Fair, declared that this fair will show the biggest revenue in the history of the fair association and that steps will be taken this year to enlarge the grounds by taking in 14 additional acres of land, installing improved quarters for cattle and swine exhibits in the new section and building a new machinery hall. He believes the greatest handicap now is in adequate facilities for the transportation of people between the city and the fair and that there is imperative necessity for the street railway company to double its track or the railroads to resume a service o fthis sort. Some charge that the street railway company and the railroads have an understanding that the railroads shall not provide such a service. President MacRae declares, however, that the State Fair cannot develop as it should as long as this handicap in local transportation facilities exists. He says it is up to Raleigh and Raleigh interests to solve these problems and he believes the trouble will be eliminated before the next fair.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE

Forty-third Annual Convention in Louisville is Busy

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 20.—That a spirited, if not unfriendly, contest for the removal of the National Headquarters from New York to Chicago probably will be entered into tomorrow by the delegates to the 43rd annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association now in session here, was indicated today. The question came up in an open discussion of "The Proper Function of the National Association."

Mrs. Anna Blount, of Illinois, gave notice that a motion to that effect would be introduced.

Inasmuch as a great part of the suffrage work is being carried on, and has succeeded in the extreme West, the Western women feel they are entitled to more attention. Prviously Miss M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr College, had declared that if suffragists could forget sectional differences they could expect victory everywhere in ten years. Looking toward further organization of the movement, Mrs. Blount had urged the formulation of societies in every State.

Endorsement by the National Association of the equal suffrage amendment to the United States constitution, proposed by the socialistic party and which Congressman Berger, of Wisconsin, will introduce in the House of Representatives, was sought by Miss Caroline Lowe, who addressed the convention as representative of the Women's National Committee of the Socialistic party. The matter was referred to the resolutions committee.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Dr. Thomas and others who addressed the convention spoke of the readiness with which the public men accept suffrage. Dr. Shaw saying that the hearing given her recently at the governors' conference in New Jersey, emphasized the progress of the movement.

It's better to be able to do a thing somebody else's way that you don't understand than not to be able to do it your own way that you do understand.

AFFAIRS AT WHITEVILLE

Case of C. E. James—Property in Demand—Personal and General

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, Oct. 20.—C. E. James who is now in jail in Whiteville for selling stock in a Mexican mine without paying a State tax, is said to be connected with one of the best families in Pender county, some of his relatives being quite wealthy. James himself attended Wake Forest College.

His friends have been writing to Whiteville about him, and the presumption is that his trouble will soon be settled and his release from jail The first intimation his family had of his trouble, so we learn, was the story sent from here to the Wilmington Star. James is a young man of good appearance and with a pleasing face. He insists that he had no intent to violate the law, but acted on a letter he received from a State officer, and which stated that it was not necessary for him to pay tax. Certain negroes in the county are gloating over the fact of their putting a white man in jail, and this is building up sympathy for the prisoner.

Mayor Davis is building a handsome home on his farm on the outskirts of Whiteville. The euburbs around the little city are fast improving ,as well as the town proper.

To show the demand for Vineland business property, only this week a new brick store was advertised for sale by a real estate firm, and the first day they had five inquiries about it. A business man of Vineland says a dozen new stores could be rented there by Fall if they were built.

The heavy rain of this week was a blessing to the big lumber plants, as they now have water to operate their machinery. Some of the mills had to suspend business because they could not get water to operate their skidders in the swamps and woods.

Every day now parties of deer hunters are out and many fine deer are killed. There are a great many in the woods this season and they are fat. There is a big crop of mass and all kinds of wild game is thriving.

Mrs. Louise Potts, who has been spending some time here with her sister, Mrs. V. V. Richardson, will leave Saturday for Panama with her son, Mr. Sam Potts, who has been visiting here. Mrs. Potts is the widow of the late Mr. Sam Potts, of Lake Waccamaw, who was perhaps one of the best known telegraph operators in the South. She is one of the loveliest women in our county, and has hundreds of friends here who regret to see her leave.

Mrs. Mollie Lumsden and Hugh Mac Lumsden ,who have been spending the Summer here, left today for her home at Jacksonvile, Fla.

The marriage of Miss Blanche Smith of Maxton, and Mr. E. S. Lewis, of Whiteville, which will be solemnized next Wednesday at the home of the bride will be a very quiet affair and witnessed by only the relatives of the contracting parties. Though very quiet this marriage is of State-wide interest, for both are among the county's most prominent and popular people.

A telegram just received states that Mr. Charley Williamson, who was accidentally shot at his home in Louisiana, is improving and thought to be entirely out of danger.

Mr. J. R. Williamson, who was very sick for several days, is very much better.

WOULD INCREASE CLERKS' PAY.

Paymaster General Makes Plea for Government Employes.

Washington Oct. 19.—Tribute to the government employe is written in the annual report of Paymaster General Charles H. Whipple, of the army, in a plea for an increase of salary and a system of retirement when the employe reaches the age of incapacity. Referring to the statistical increase of the cost of living of 50 per cent. during the past 15 years, without a corresponding raise in pay, General Whipple says the increase is asked not as a reward for past services, "but as an actual necessity."

The salaries of the clerks in his office, he says, have not been increased since 1870.

To attain and maintain an efficiency, now impossible under the present law, General Whipple recommends that at least 50 per cent. of the Paymaster's Department be made permanent details. This could be obtained. he says, by making the majors and higher grades permanent.

He also recommends that the period of detail to the grades of major, lieutenant colonel and colonel be extended from four to six years, as, under the present order of things, it is not until an officer's four-year detail is drawing to an end that he has attained the highest point of usefulness.

The mobilization of the army last Summer along the Mexican border, says Gen. Whipple, demonstrated that ability to pay promptly considerable bodies of troops under conditions simulating actual warfare.

The motto of a grass widower: "Once stung, always shy."

$3.50 Recipe Free, For Weak Men.

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This prescription comes from a physician who has made a special study of men and I am convinced it is the surest-acting combination for the cure of deficient manhood and vigor failure ever put together.

I think I owe it to my fellow man to send them a copy in confidence, so that any man anywhere who is weak and discouraged with repeated failures may stop drugging himself with harmful patent medicines, secure what I believe is the quickest-acting restorative, upbuilding, SPOT-TOUCHING remedy ever devised, and so cure himself at home quietly and quickly. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, 4168 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send you a copy of this splendid recipe in a plain, ordinary envelope free of charge. A great many doctors would charge $3.00 to $5.00 for merely writing out a prescription like this—but I send it entirely free.

CELEBRATION AT SOUTHPORT.

November 9th is Now Fixed as Date by Railroad Directors.

(Southport News.)

Owing to inability to complete arrangements in time to have the Southport celebration November 2nd, as hoped—not, however, because the road will not be completed by that date—President Whitehead and his directors have fixed November 9th, as the day of all days for Southport.

Many eminent speakers will be present, and among other features, it is expected to have a barbecue, served on Franklin Park.

It is intended to make this event the greatest railroad celebration ever held in North Carolina.

Next week and the week following, The News will have a detailed programme of affairs, and we hope everybody in Brunswick county will come to Southport on November 9th.

A train load of brick arrived over the railroad this morning, all of which is needed. The engine whistle makes good music.

A. C. L. ACCUSED BY COAL CO.

Overcharge Alleged in Complaint to Interstate Commission.

(Baltimore Sun, 20th.)

The Tampa Fuel Company, wholesale dealers in coal, with offices in the Continental building, yesterday filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission a complaint against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, charging that it makes an unlawful charge of 25 cents for handling coal on the docks at Port Tampa, Fla., and asking the commission to grant such relief as the situation requires. It also alleges it has been overcharged to the extent of $6,793.74 on coal shipments during the past three years and asks the commission to order the carrier to make reparation in that sum.

The fuel company says this overcharge was in connection with coal shipped from Baltimore to Florida points. The coal is shipped from Baltimore in vessels to Port Tampa, and there it is unloaded by the Atlantic Coast Line from vessels to train to be distributed to dealers in Florida.

It sometimes happens that a man who never even saw an airship flies just as high and falls just as hard.

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TWOLAYR is medium in weight, yet it is equal in warmth to the heavy, bulky underwears. That is because it is scientifically constructed (note the diagram).

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including admission to the fair, and correspondingly low rates from Rocky Mount, Wilmington, Chadbourn, Sanford, Selma, Florence, Darlington and intermediate points.

Tickets will be on sale for all trains from October 23rd to 27th inclusive, limited, returning, to reach original starting point not later than midnight of October 28th, 1911.

Children (five years of age and under 12) half fare.

For tickets, schedules and further particulars call phone 160.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective October 16, 1911. Time Not Guaranteed

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS
No. 90, † 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad, No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M).	No. 91, § 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *11:40 P. M.
No. 64, † 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, † 6:59 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway (†) Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P. M.
No. 59, † 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, †10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, † 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, † 8:30 A. M.

* Daily † Daily except Sunday. § Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Effective October 2nd, 1911. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

To the Beach.

Leave Wilmington—6:30, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; *1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 P. M.

2:00 P. M. (Saturday only).

* On Saturday this train leaves at 1:10 P. M.

To Wrightsville.

Leave Wilmington—6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

To Wilmington.

Leave Beach — 7:45, 9:15, 10:45, 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 6:25, 6:55, 7:55, 9:15, 10:45 P. M.

Leave Wrightsville—6:15, 7:30, 7:55, 8:30, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:30, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 7:05, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAY.

To the Beach.

Leave Wilmington—8:00, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 P. M.

To Wrightsville.

Leave Wilmington—8:00, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

To Wilmington.

Leave Beach—8:45, 10:45 A. M.; 12:15, 1:45, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:55, 7:30, 9:15, 10:45 P. M.

Leave Wrightsville—7:30, 8:55, 10:00 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:05, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.	11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am *10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am *11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	6:35pm 8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Trains Leave Wilmington, Effective April 20th, 1911.

No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet, and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York, and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:30 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 38, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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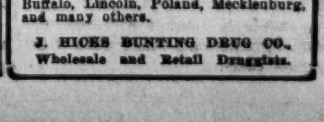

Wilmington to New York.

Stmp. "Carib," Saturday, Oct. 14th, 1911.
Stmp. "Navahoe," Saturday, Oct. 21st, 1911.

New York to Wilmington.

Stmp. "Navahoe," Friday, Oct. 13th, 1911.
Stmp. "Carib," Friday, Oct. 20th, 1911.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	2:30 a m

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Saturday, October 21, 1911.

What has become of all our iridescent dreams about denatured alcohol?

Pity President Taft with Senator LaFollette fortifying his front and Secretary Wilson harrassing his rear.

The Deeper Waterways Convention at Richmond had the luck of having rains that prevented the Giants and Athletics from playing for three days in succession.

Large numbers of Chinese soldiers in both the imperial and rebel armies want to quit and go home. Evidently they don't regard the trouble over there as any of their funeral.

Sometimes when people insurge they get their rights. People who stand still for the can to be tied to them don't amount to much. Probably the Chinamen are seeing the point.

The Charleston News and Courier discovers the fact that "a folding bed has killed another woman." Surely the folding bed is not coming forth in the hope of dividing honors with the automobile and the aeroplane.

A Chinese reformer writes: "We have a population in Canton of near 2,500,000 people, the majority of whom have never seen a picture of an elephant." After November next year President Taft will never again want to see the picture of an elephant.

In view of the approaching Presidential campaign, Col. Roosevelt has decided to forego a lognacious attitude and proposes to view the entire contest with profound silence. President Taft, recognizing that he needs help now if he ever did, probably knows that when a man sees that you yearn for the calf rope and yet silently stands by and lets the bogeyman get you, he is perfectly willing for anybody to get your goat.

Says the Greensboro News: "It has been suggested that President Taft may appoint Senator Borah or Senator Cummins to the Supreme Court bench to pacify the insurgents. We are not strong for Taft, but we hesitate to believe that he would prostitute such a high function to such an end." The Supreme Court is one piece of patronage that the President will hesitate to use. We do not believe that he would use it to shelve Cummins and Borah as was done with Governor Hughes.

The civil war in China has again called attention to the primitiveness of the Orientals. They still use lumps of silver for currency and even in cities only two days' journey from Peking, pure silver is cut into bits with a chisel and hammer, so a man with a lump of silver can purchase what he wants by carrying a lump of metal so it can be chipped for the right change. Every city and village has its scales where the silver is weighed and accepted by the merchants. We have the advantage over the Chinese in the fact that we won't accept anything less than a gold brick, like they do up about Greensboro.

It is said ancient Rome was built upon liberal conservativesm and absolute justice. That accounts for the fact that Rome was mistress of the world, but when conservatism was supplanted by hysteria, and corruption followed wealth, Rome toppled. A country may be great in one generation and decadent in another, so it is all the more important for the American people to stand firm and suppress corruptionists and monopolists with a firm hand. We have no patience with either, and we rejoice that the trusts feel the grip of the people on their throats and that election corruptionists are being confused with investigations that will expose if not convict them.

CAN NOT SUPPORT TAFT

The Rev. Robt. E. Peele, of Burgaw, who is a keen observer and conscientious analyist, and knows how to say things in a striking way, has written to the Raleigh News and Observer why he can not support President Taft. Mr. Peele writes:

"Because I cannot find him. He is evidently on the wing. He only stops to tell where he is, and then goes somewhere else. He is always telling us where he is, and yet no one can locate him. Because he is never serious. He is the laughing President. To be sure there is a time to laugh, and a good laugh is worth a thousand groans in any market; but when a fellow is always laughing it indicates a lack of backbone. Because he is not diligent in business. He plays too much, and therefore commits to others what he should do himself. In a word he is not President. Because he is not a judge of men. His cabinet on the whole is the weakest in the history of the nation. Because he ran for office on another man's policy, and from the beginning seems to have had no mind of his own."

For the same reason that Mr. Peele cannot stand for the President in a political sense, hundreds of honest Republicans have turned away from him. It accounts for the great progressive or insurgent Republican movement in the West, belittled by many who will no doubt be surprised to learn the real strength of the movement in the next election. Lack of faith in President Taft's policy has brought such men as Senators LaFollette and Cummins to the front, and it accounts for the fact that a few days ago a conference of leading progressive Republicans at Chicago they passed resolutions favoring LaFollette as the Republican nominee for President.

The masses of the country, without regard to politics, grew impatient and restless under a high tariff system that burdened them with excessive expenses and built up monopolies which had a free hand with the earnings and industries of the people. They got tired of the infamous wrong which exacts from their production and pockets tolls to guarantee prfits to monopolies. In its National platform in 1908, when Mr. Taft was the Presidential nominee, the Republican party pretended to promise tariff revision to hold discontented Republicans in line. At the same time it guaranteed profits to the tariff beneficiaries. In his campaign speeches the smiling President advocated tariff revision, but after he had been elected and a Republican Congress assembled in Washington to carry out their party's and candidate's pledges, Congress carried out its pledges to the tariff beneficiaries and ignored its deceptive promises to the masses who expected relief. President Taft approved all that conscienceless Congress did on that line and ignored his own campaign promises of tariff revision. He is himself responsible for the revulsion against him, and his smiles and magnetic personality count for nothing.

What if a fellow does smile when he meets you, if he is going in the opposite direction from that in which you are going? President Taft is not going in the direction in which the people are going. He is headed the other way. They thought in 1908 that he was with them, because he talked like he was. When, however, he got to be President his acts were precisely the opposite to the way he talked. When you deceive people once it is hard to pull the wool over their eyes a second time.

President Taft depended upon his smiles and "heap talk" to set himself right before the people by "giving an account of his stewardship." He, therefore, took a 13,000-mile tour, and is even going to extend it two weeks longer for the simple reason that he knows he is up against it. He has observed that right on his trail 200 Republican leaders have repudiated him and put up the LaFollette flag. His talk hasn't suited the people, either Republicans or Democrats. The Republican masses have found out that a high protective tariff pinches them just like it does the Democrats and they have learned how to squirm when they are fleeced by the tariff and their fleece is handed over to the tariff beneficiaries as so much graft.

The people have made up their minds that they are going to have tariff revision, and since they know that they can't get it from Taft they are against him. They have also made up their minds to destroy the monopolies and trusts to which every man, woman and child in this country is paying tribute on account of such infamous legislation as the Aldrich tariff law which the President declared was the best ever. For more than 30 years the people have squirmed under monopolies and insisted that they should be destroyed—not throttled or controlled, but annihilated. President Taft's administration has done neither, and its abortiveness is demonstrated in the absurdity and sham of the dissolution plan of the Tobacco Trust. Contemplate the great gathering now in New York to protest against that ineffectual plan. Attorney General Bickett, of North Carolina, is there with the bunch and they seem to be at sea over a condition which should be met by the strong arm of the Government instead of by the comparatively futile opposition that has gathered in its helplessness in New York.

The people want trusts destroyed and not fitted out with a new suit that gives them a different appearance. The Sherman law has been tried on them and the United States Supreme Court put a joker in it by a judicial decision. President Taft approved that and well knowing that the Sherman act and all other acts are not sufficient to annihilate trusts and monopolies, he has been swinging around the circle saying "I am unalterably opposed to any amendment of the anti-trust law." Of course he is, but the people who have had it soaked to them want monopolies destroyed and if the Sherman act as amended by the Supreme Court won't do it, they want it so amended that it will accomplish what they are determined to have without revolution. They wish to accomplish by law what some other nations do by revolution, but Mr. Taft is "unalterably opposed" to any law that may yet be needed.

Attorney General Wickersham, the law authority of the President's cabinet, has taken a different view from that of the President, for he sees the necessity for more trust destroying laws if there is not enough. In a speech at Duluth, July 19th, Mr. Wickersham said: "That some further regulation over corporations carrying on commerce between the States may be necessary is, however, coming to be a matter of current comment." If the President had declared on his tour that if the Sherman law won't destroy monopolies he will insist on a law that will, it would have counted for more than those smiles.

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GREAT WEALTH IN PEAT BOGS.

We understand that there are great peat bogs in eastern North Carolina, and sooner or later they will be of great value. Florida has immense bodies of peat deposits and from time to time we have seen some mention of efforts to develop them, but if anything has been done we have lost sight of it. Nevertheless, the United States Geological Survey tells us that peat is one of the great resources of the country, but that we are far behind European countries in utilizing them. Probably it is because of the immense coal deposits of the country.

It would be well for us, however, to keep an eye on the efforts to utilize peat in several particulars. Recently the United States Geological Survey, called attention to the peat resources of this country and remarked about it in this way: "The great peat deposits of the United States seem destined to remain an undeveloped resource, at least for some time to come, not through any effort at conservation but because of ignorance of their practical value."

Ignorance is what is largely the matter with us in this country. We do not know our resources, and, if we do, we do not know how to utilize them. It is a fact that we do not appreciate our splendid resources, but future generations will be on the job better than we have been. It requires a campaign of education to wake us up to our opportunities, and, therefore, the United States Geological Survey, in order to open our eyes concerning our peat resources, is emphasizing what foreign countries are doing with peat.

According to Mr. Charles A. Davis, in an advance chapter on peat production, from the "Mineral Resources of the United States," for 1910, which is issued by the United States Geological Survey, noteworthy progress was made in 1910 in the production of peat fuel in other countries than the United States, not only in the quantiy actually marketed, but also in methods of production and utilization. In the United States, however, it is said that "although it is generally known that there are large quantities of material good for fuel in the peat bogs and swamps of the northern and eastern parts of the country, but little progress has been made in developing this resource on a commercial scale." From the New York Paint, Oil and Drug Reporter, we find this reference to Mr. Davis' report:

"In commenting on the growing use of peat in Europe, Mr. Davis refers to its value as a gas producer, the resulting 'producer gas' having a recognized high value for fuel and power. In a recently perfected gas producer it has been found that in converting peat containing a good percentage of nitrogen into gas a large amount of ammonia, greatly valued as a fertilizer, can be obtained as a by-product. Dr. Davis quotes from a report which shows that where gas-producer plants using peat are carefully managed so great are the profits obtainable that it is often possible, while taking no credit whatever for the value of the power gas, to obtain as much as 100 per cent. profit from sulphate of ammonia alone, after making proper allowance for the cost of digging the peat, bringing it to the plant and for labor, stores, capital, shares, etc. Indeed, with peats camparatively poor in nitrogen it is possible in many cases to produce gas for nothing, the cost of power being then merely that of operating the gas engines, together with capital charges on the same.

"Although these claims may be somewhat optimistic, says Mr. Davis, it is clear that if each ton of theoretically dry peat gasified yields from 75,000 to 90,000 cubic feet of producer gas, the calorific value of which is from 125 to 135 British thermal units per cubic foot, and also gives 200 pounds of sulphate of ammonia as a by-product, the operation of a plant consuming ten tons of dry peat fuel a day would produce a ton of ammonia salt. The price of sulphate of ammonia has for some years remained very uniform at about $60 per ton in spite of enormously increased production.

"This process, which is of practical application in the United States, Mr. Davis believes, should be investigated carefully by owners of American peat lands, many of which are very rich in nitrogen, some government analyses showing as high as 3.93 puer cent. of combined nitrogen. Peat consumption of all kinds in the United States in 1910 amounted to $182,147."

In a country with such an immense area of swamp region as we have in North Carolina, more than 5,000,000 acres probably, it is quite likely there is immense peat bogs. They might be investigated with a view to their development both for their fuel and fertilizer value.

Says some paragrapher: "The bravest man will show cowardice in obeying his wife." That is not cowardice, smarty. It is discretion, which is a powerful aid to bravery.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Speaking for our friends of the lower Cape Fear section, we want to inform the frisky Greenville Piedmont that Wilmington never goes into Winter quarters. Perennial Spring hovers where Clawson and Cowan abide.—Greenville News.

Please, women, don't adopt the suggestion of Mrs. Pankhurst! The English suffragette suggests that all women immediately declare a strike and do no work until men grant them the ballot. Would the men immediately give women the right to vote or would they, too, go on strike?—Savannah News.

The other day Dr. Felix Adler, ethical culturist, said disgustedly that he 'had looked in his morning papers for some news of the uprising in China, but found nothing there but baseball.'" The learned doctor might as well understand now as later that the heathen "Chink" has as much chance of getting on the front page while the Giants and the Athletics are clashing as the President or the Brewers' Association would have of delivering a speech at a Waterways' convention.—Columbia State.

The News and Courier has received a letter from the Manchester Guardian announcing that it is sending a representative to this country who will tour the cotton belt for the purpose of explaining personally a scheme to establish direct trading between the American shippers and the Lancashire spinners. The Guardian believes that the Lancashire spinning trade would save from $10,000,000 to $20,000,000 a year by following its plan. It does not indicate just how the plan would benefit the cotton grower or the American merchant. Presumably that is the business of its agent who will visit various cities of the South. Perhaps he may be able to show that it would be a good thing all around. It would be pleasant, of course, to eliminate the 5 per cent. in commissions which the Guardian figures can be saved. Nevertheless, the scheme promises to involve some disagreeable risks for American shippers who, unacquainted with the ways of English cotton men, undertake to do business with them direct, and they will be unwise to go into it except after the most thorough investigation. There are few trades in which there are more tricks than are to be found in cotton, and it is virtually impossible for an American shipper who has been taken advantage of to secure redress through the English courts except at a cost which usually proves prohibitive.—Charleston News and Courier.

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(Special to Baltimore Sun.)

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 19.—Mrs. "Stonewall" Jackson, at her home here, is preparing an article which will attempt to refute the characterization of General Jackson in Miss Mary Johnston's latest novel, "The Long Roll."

Hitherto, in the war of discussion which has raged over Miss Johnston's book, Mrs. Jackson has made no comment. Miss Johnston herself has found it desirable to defend her estimate of General Jackson's character against her critics.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Brunswick County Baptist Organization Will Meet at Lebanon Church Latter Part of the Month—Programme.

The Brunswick Baptist Sunday School Convention will hold its regular meeting with Lebanon Church, in Brunswick county, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 27th, 28th, and 29th, and it is expected that several Sunday School workers from this city will attend. The programme as given in this week's issue of the Southport News is as follows:

Friday.

10:30—Devotional opening by V. C. Gaener.

10:50—Enroll messenger and organize.

11:15—Introductory sermon by E. L. Swain.

12:15—Dinner.

1:45—Expression from messenger, interspersed with songs.

2:15—"How Should Church Bible Schools be Organized?"—O. B. Sellers, D. L. Hewett and Prof. L. A. Byrd, leading.

3:30—"When, Where and How to Organize Branch Bible Schools,"—A. G. Mintz, I. W. Harrelson and Prof. Bryson, leading.

4:50—Adjournment.

Saturday.

9:45—Devotional service, A. W. Clemmons.

10:05—"How to Fill the Bible School With Students."—Dr. Watson, J. M. Long and Washington Sellers, leading.

11:10—"What Kind of a Bible School Teacher Does This Progressive Age Need?"—G. H. Gray, J. A. Bryson and H. B. Clemmons, leading.

12:10—Dinner.

1:30—"What Kind of a Superintendent Does This Progressive Age Demand?"—Pastors, Teachers, Superintendents and Laymen.

3:00—"The Bible School Home Department—Its Meaning, Its Worth, Etc."—G. T. Hickman, I. W. Harrelson, J. L. Jenkins and others.

4:15—Adjournment.

Sunday.

9:30—Devotional service, by John Smith.

9:45—"What Is the Cradle Roll?" Can Much Good be Done by It?"—For open discussion.

11:15—Sermon by J. L. Mintz.

THRILLING RESCUE OF CREW.

Launch Capsized at Sea Reached by Capt. Yeomans Yesterday.

Capt. Eugene Yeomans, who is remembered as life saver at Lumina during the past season, while at sea off Wrightsville yesterday in his fishing boat, with the assistance of members of his crew made a thrilling rescue of three other white men from a 25-foot launch which they found capsized at sea about a mile off shore yesterday afternoon about 1:30 o'clock. A high sea was running and the tide setting seaward when off Masonboro they sighted the capsized launch to which two men were clinging and a third had drifted off in imminent peril of drowning. The men were signalling for help and Capt. Yeomans and crew reached them in the nick of time. Gus Lumberton, the member of the crew who was drifting, was first picked up by Mate E. T. Russell, of Capt. Yeoman's crew as he was going down for the last time. In making the first attempt to get him over the side of the launch, Mate Russell pulled the shirt off the drowning man, but Capt. Yeomans caught him again as the boat swung by. Later attention was given to the two other men clinging to the boat and they were brought in badly used up from their experience. Resuscitation methods had to be employed to save the life of Lumberton after he had been pulled into Capt. Yeomans' boat. The stranded crew of the launch were very grateful to Capt. Yeomans and his crew for their timely rescue.

WILMINGTON AN EXAMPLE

Commission Form of Government Portrayed in Baltimore Sun

Baltimore is just now engaged in a vigorous campaign for the adoption of the commission form of government and the Baltimore Sun on last Sunday printed a half-page feature article on the working of the plan in this city, presenting therewith a picture of the City Hall and excellent half-tone cuts of Councilmen Tiencken, Moore and Perdew. Epitomizing the results in Wilmington, the Sun says:

"Advocates of the commission form of government are finding one of their strongest arguments in Wilmington, N. C., where this method of running the municipality has taken the place of a rather complicated government, which consisted of five different bodies, each working more or less independently of the other, so that responsibility was so divided that none could be held to strict accountability, and little of a constructive nature could be accomplished. This condition had prevailed for a good two years preceding, when the commission form was put in operation May 6th last, and has worked wonders in the North Carolina city in the five months that have elapsed. The result is that today the system has as many friends in Wilmington as it had on the day of the election, when only 23 votes were cast against it."

Was Painfully Scalded.

Capt. Herbert Ward, chief engineer of Nellie B. Dye, a fish boat, was painfully scalded about the shoulders and back of the neck when a steam pipe burst a few days ago while the boat was some ten miles at sea. Capt. Ward, who has many friends in this city, was brought to Wilmington and taken to his apartments in the Allen building, on Princess, between Water and Front streets, where he was attended by Dr. Morris M. Caldwell. Many friends will be glad to learn that his condition was reported yesterday as being very favorable and he hopes soon to be out again.

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EXHIBITION TRAP SHOOTING

Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Topperwein at the Grounds of Wilmington Gun Club—Contest Among Members of the Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Topperwein, of San Antonio, Texas, who are in the employ of the Winchester Arms Company, were the guests yesterday of the Wilmington Gun Club and during the afternoon participated in the regular weekly trap shoot at the grounds of the club at 17th and Castle streets and also gave an exhibition of fancy shooting, which held the attention and interest of the large crowd gathered there.

Mr. Topperwein is one of the best shotgun, rifle and pistol shots in America, and his wife is noted as the champion lady marksman in the country. Both appeared to splendid advantage yesterday afternoon. Their fancy rifle and pistol exhibition was exceptionally good and won the plaudits of the large crowd of devotees of the sport.

Mr. Topperwein took part in the regular weekly shoot of the club and made the score 96 out of possible 100, which was duplicated by Mr. John E. Taylor, of this city. Other scores made in the contest were: W. L. Robbins, 79; S. R. Coley, 81; A. B. Wingfield, of Charlotte, 101, out of a possible 125; G. W. Boylan, 96; Dr. J. H. Dreher, 93; L. Clayton Grant, 103 out of a possible 150; Geo. W. Penny, 156 out of a possible 175; John Burnett, 57 out of possible 75; C. H. Knight, of Charlotte, 47 out of possible 50; W. E. Perdew, 16 out of possible 25.

MRS. SARAH E. SIMMONS DEAD.

Passed Away Early Yesterday Morning—Funeral This Morning.

Many friends learned with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Sarah E. Simmons, wife of Mr. G. C. Simmons, which occurred at the family residence, No. 616 South Fifth street, at 1:45 o'clock yesterday morning after a brief illness. She was 42 years old and leaves a husband and six children, two of these being twins only a few days old; her mother, Mrs. J. M. Lanier, and two sisters, Mrs. David T. Peterson, and Mrs. Chas. H. Skipper. They will have the tenderest sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement. Mrs. Simmons was a member of Brooklyn Baptist Church and was a most estimable Christian woman. The funeral services will be held from the family residence at 10 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in the absence from the city of her pastor, Rev. C. F. Whitlock. The interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

A MODERN ELEVATOR

Contract Awarded Yesterday for Atlantic Trust & Banking Building

Contract was awarded yesterday to the Otis Elevator Company, of New York, for a new modern elevator for the handsome eight-story building which the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., will erect at northeast corner of Front and Market streets. The elevator will be operated by electricity and will have a speed of 250 feet a minute, which is one of the fastest made by the company with a guarantee of absolute safety. It is equipped with annunciator, giving the position of the elevator at any given point and equipped with bells to reach the elevator from every floor. In addition to having ample passenger capacity for a building of the size, its tonnage capacity is 5,000 pounds, so that every requirement of the big building will be met. The machine will be installed as the building progresses.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, pastor.—Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M., conducted by the pastor. No evening service. Men's Bible Class at 12:15. Sunday school at 4 P. M. and Christian Endeavor Society at 7 P. M. Mid-week prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Visitors cordially welcomed.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor.—Sabbath service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school at 4 P. M.; W. C. E. Society at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to preach in East Wilmington tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner Front and Queen streets—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley. You are most cordially invited to be present.

DEPUTY COX FINED

Assessed $10 and Costs for Assault and Other Cases Dismissed

Recorder Furlong yesterday morning announced his judgment in the cases against Deputy Harvey Cox, who was found not guilty of the charge of obstructing an officer in the discharge of his duty, and fined $10 and costs in the case for asault upon Policeman A. D. Newton, in which he entered a plea of guilty at the trial a few days ago. The case charging disorderly conduct was dismissed at Thursday's session. Deputy Cox will pay the amount of the fine and costs in the assault case. The costs amount to $12 and some cents. One drunk was the lone defendant at yesterday's session and he was assessed $5 and costs.

NEGRO YOUTH DROWNED

James Henry Nixon, Water Boy at Compress, Lost His Life

James Henry Nixon, aged 13 years, water boy in the stevedore department of the Champion Compress, was drowned yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock when he stepped upon the guy rope of a steamer being loaded with cotton and was thrown overboard. In falling his body struck a float and it is thought that his neck was broken. Efforts were begun at once to recover the body, which was found about 5 o'clock. Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, was notified of the drowning and after viewing the body gave permission for its removal. The boy's parents live in Wilmington.

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WILMINGTON VS. DONALDSON

Score Eight to Six in Game at Fayetteville Yesterday Afternoon—Star Playing of Burnett and Townsend.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 20.—Wilmington High School defeated Donaldson here this afternoon, score 8 to 6, winning in the fourth quarter by a touchdown when Stowe, after gathering up a long punt, was thrown behind his own goal line by Monroe. R. Burnett, fullback, of Wilmington, and Townsend, fullback for Donaldson, played the game almost alone and Townsend's injury after making a brilliant run in the third quarter probably caused Donaldson's defeat. Taylor's recovery of an onside kick for Wilmington was cleverly executed. Burnett's and Townsend's playing could hardly have been excelled. Donaldson used open style exclusively and made several forward passes while Wilmington used only close formations.

The Wilmington team returned last night from Fayetteville full of enthusiasm over the defeat the strong Donaldson team. Speaking of the game the Wilmington management said:

"In one of the hardest fought preparatory school football games ever witnessed in this section, the Wilmington High School yesterday afternoon defeated Donaldson Military Academy on the Fayetteville fair grounds, by the score of 8 to 6. The contest was live and snappy and it was declared to be the best ever played between the two teams. Every man played his part well and the outcome was uncertain up to the last few minutes of play.

"The Wilmington squad played almost a faultless game and their goal was seemingly not in danger after they were scored on in the first quarter."

The first half was given in detail as follows:

Donaldson kicked to Wilmington, who after a few line plays lost the ball on an off-side kick. Then after several end runs Townsend carried the ball over from the 15-yard line around right end. He then kicked the ball out to Cook and kicked a goal. Time three minutes. Score, Donaldson 6; Wilmington 0.

Donaldson again kicked to Wilmington, who twice advanced the ball to Donaldson's 15-yard line, but lost the ball on fumbles. They again advanced the ball to the 10-yard line, but were held for downs. They then punted back, but by a series of end runs and line plunges, Wilmington carried the ball to Donaldson's 15-yard line and Williams carried the ball over around right end and ...cked goal. Wilmington 6; Donaldson 6. The rest of the half the ball was in the middle of the field.

In the second half Wilmington kicked off to Donaldson, who was downed on the 30-yard line. Jones ran around right end for 40 yards and Stowe around right for 20 yards. Here Houston, for Wilmington got a forward pass and carried it back to Wilmington's 40-yard line. Then after a series of runs and punts Houston made an inside kick behind Donaldson's goal and Stowe was downed by Monroe and Hashagen trying to advance the ball, scoring a safety for Wilmington. Score Donaldson 6; Wilmington 8.

The remainder of the half was characterized by some beautiful plays, but neither goal was seriously in danger. The stars for Donaldson were Townsend, Cook and Jones. Newton also deserves special mention for his handling of forward passes. For Wilmington the entire team starred, especially the back field. The team work was especially good considering the fact that this is the first game. There were eleven stars which counts for more than individual playing.

The line-up was as follows:

Wilmington.	Positions.	Donaldson.
Burnett, R. (Capt.)	r. f. b.	Stowe
Houston	l. f. b.	Townsend
Williams	r. h. b	Jones (Capt.)
Hall	l. h. b.	Waunamaker
Penny	c.	Venable
Shaw	r. g.	Cloud
Herring	l. g.	Glover
Burnett, C.	r. t.	Curry
Mier	l. t.	Huske
Monroe, Taylor	r. e.	Cook, Newton
Hashagen, Monroe	l. e.	McNeill

Substitutes for Wilmington: Silverman and Smith; Donaldson, Boggs, Curry, Pittman and Lambeth.

Officials—Referee: Rankin (Davidson); Umpire: Shaw (Davidson); Head Linesman: Lynch; Time Keepers: Prof. Reed (D. M. A.) and Smith (W. H. S.).

COMPANY B IS WINNER

Exciting Game of Basketball at Boys' Brigade Last Night

In a fast and exciting game of basketball at the Boys' Brigade armory last night between Companies A and B, the latter won by a score of 19 to 17. It was the first game of the season and the interest being taken in the popular sport at the Brigade was evidenced by the large crowd that witnessed the contest. The regular schedule of basketball games at the Brigade will begin next month.

Company A was composed of the following players: Louis Davis, Fick, forwards; H. Gerdes, center; H. Kure, C. Davis, guards. Company B Branch, H. Register, forwards; C. Dixon, center; E. Register, R. Shelton, guards.

Boys' Brigade Lyceum Course.

The dates of the appearance here of the attractions of the Boys' Brigade Lyceum Course were announced yesterday. The first number is the Litchfield Trio, otherwise known as the "Laugh Makers," who will be seen at the Brigade auditorium on the night of November 6th. The dates of the appearance of the other attractions are as follows: November 16th, Harmony Concert; December 21st, Carl Jansen; January 15th, Sterling Battis; February 23rd, Bostonia Sextet; March 4th, The Goodfellows Singers.

Civil Service Commission

The civil service commission of the city government held a meeting last night at the City Hall for the purpose of examining several applicants for permanent positions of the police force. Messrs. Willard and S. J. Ellis were the commissioners present, Mr. C. F. W. Rehder being absent. Several persons who have been on the force as substitutes took the examination.

HOME-MADE INCINERATOR

Councilman B. C. Moore Favors Plant of This Kind in Southern Section of City—Makes Investigation.

Paying heed to numerous complaints coming in from residents of the southern section of the city that trash is being dumped by the city carts so near their premises as to cause a bad odor to permeate their homes, resulting in sickness of members of their families in a number of instances, Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, and Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, went for a trip of inspection Thursday afternoon.

They found conditions so bad that Councilman Moore said last night that he would recommend to the Council at the next meeting that the city provide some kind of an incinerator right away to relieve the situation to some extent. In his opinion a plant capable of destroying all the combustible matter carried out as trash could be provided for $300 or $400. The noncombustibles, such as tin cans and other metals, could be disposed of by dumping them into the rice fields. Councilman Moore's idea is to build two brick walls, seven feet high and 20 feet long, several feet apart, leaving the ends open for the grates, and into this place all the combustible materials hauled off by the city carts as trash. This, he said, would not cost more than $300 or $400, and would certainly give the people of the southern section of the city relief from a fearful situation. He will strongly urge this step at the next meeting of the Council.

Citizens of the southern section have appealed to the city officials at intervals for two or three years to devise some method of disposing of the trash other than dumping it so close to their homes, asserting that much of the illness in that part of the city had been due entirely to this condition. However, not until now has it looked as though relief would be given.

The health department has just had completed at the disposal plant of the Wilmington Sewerage Company on Burnt Mill Creek, stables, wagon shed and storage for sanitary tin cans. Only two teams are engaged regularly by the city in doing the scavengering of the sanitary cans and it is claimed that the work is being done very satisfactorily and without any delay, all telephone calls and health officers' condemnations being attended to promptly. Occasionally the third team is engaged, but this one does not many days in the month.

TWO STEAMERS ARRIVE

The Winnie Brings Cargo from Huelva ---One Clearance

Two steamers arrived and one schooner cleared from the port yesterday. The British steamer Winnie, Capt. Butcher, brings cargo of pyrites from Huelva for the Swift Fertilizer Works. She has visited this port several times before and received cotton for export. The British steamer Shira, Capt. Cann, arrived light yesterday from Philadelphia for cotton for cotton from Messrs. Alex. Sprunt Son.

The schooner Nellie W. Craig, Capt. Lane, cleared yesterday with cargo of 475,000 feet of lumber from the Buell-Crocker Lumber Co., and Camp Manufacturing Co., for New York. The vessel is by C. D. Maffitt.

WHITE MAN ARRESTED.

Fred Griffith Charged with Violating Prohibition Law.

On the charge of violating the prohibition law, Fred Griffith, a young white man, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman C. G. Jones on a warrant sworn out on the affidavit of Mr. Edward C. Bessellieu, a clerk in the railroad offices. Griffith is a clerk in Mack Godwin's place on Princess, between Water and Front streets, and is alleged to have sold whiskey to the affiants at that place.

Griffith was recognized by Chief Fowler for appearance in the Recorder's court this morning at 9 o'clock to answer the charge.

Mr. Craven Goes to Wilkesboro.

Yesterday's Greensboro Daily News: "George B. Craven, formerly news editor of The Daily News, but more recently with the Wilmington Star, passed through the city yesterday en route to Wilkesboro, where he will spend several days at the home of his brother, Bruce Craven, recuperating from a recent illness. It will be remembered that Mr. Craven was suddenly stricken shortly after going to Wilmington and for the past month his condition has been serious. His friends here and in the State will learn with great pleasure that he is now on the road to recovery and that after a few weeks of rest in Wilkes he expects to return to his work."

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: John E. Taylor, commissioner to Carrie T. Mask, for $8,850, three lots, one on west side of Eighth, 44 feet south of Chesnut, 33x66 feet in size; second, on northwest corner of Seventh and Church streets, 55x78 feet in size; third, west side of Seventh, 165 feet south of Red Cross, 33x165 feet in size. S. J. Ellis to D. M. McIntosh, for $800 and other considerations, lot on east side of 10th, 132 feet north of Queen, 33x165 feet in size.

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THE RIVER STEAMERS

City of Fayetteville in After Long Absence—The Duplin

Following the heavy rains of the past few days in the up-country, there has been a rapid continued rise in the Cape Fear river. The steamer City of Fayetteville, which got off on the rise at Fayetteville on Thursday afternoon, reached port yesterday noon with a good freight and passenger list, clearing for the return in the afternoon. The official report of the depth of water at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday was 12.9 feet with a rise in progress.

The steamer Duplin will not make her regular Wednesday trip next week, Capt. Stokes says, as she is undergoing her annual repairs for the Winter and Spring business. She hopes, however, to receive freight on Friday, October 23rd.

Southport Fish Market.

Southport News: "Southport is becoming quite a fish port, and is now supplying the Wilmington market. T. H. Dosher alone carried up the river last week over 10,000 pounds of roe mullets. With a cold storage plant, and plenty of ice, Southport should become a great shipping point for fish. The trout caught here are delicious, and we are told that they abound in the waters of the bay; in fact, that there are no better fishing grounds along the coast than our own harbor, which needs first—and greatest—energy on the part of our fishermen, then the facilities for keeping and packing, to soon create a lively market for fish here."

Report of Purchase Confirmed

The report of the purchase of the valuable lot next east of the store of Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co., No. 117 Market street, by Messrs. Chas. N. Evans and B. O. Stone, was confirmed yesterday. There is a four-story building located on the property. It was learned that the rumor about the formation of a new enterprise to occupy the building was without foundation, the purchasers acquiring the property merely as an investment. They contemplate some improvements in the building, however, especially in the rear of the store.

—Appointments of the Yoke Fellows of the Y. M. C. A. for tomorrow are: City prison, B. A. Thees; county home, J. B. Huntington and H. E. O'Keef; Castle Haynes, H. Wormersly and G. C. Bordeaux; Wrightsboro Union Sunday School, E. Cavanaugh and W. A. McGirt.

The more you have to pay for a thing to buy it the less you could get for it if you were selling it.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. F. K. Williams and daughter, Miss Mamie Williams, have returned from a visit to Salisbury and other points in the piedmont section.

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Misses Lillian Williams and Carlotta Fleet have returned from Richmond, Va., where they attended the wedding of their friend, Miss Estelle Russell, and attended the Virginia State Fair.

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Miss Rebe Johnston, who is pleasantly remembered from an extended visit to Wilmington and the beaches last Summer, arrived yesterday from Peace Institute, where she is a student, and is a guest for the week-end of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Fetter, at Carolina Heights.

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The first regular monthly meeting of the Home Science Department of Sorosis, held in the club rooms at the library yesterday, proved of much interest to all present. The subject for the meeting was "Selection of Linen," which was in charge of Mrs. Sol Sternberger and the splendid manner in which she canvassed subject was the feature of the meeting. A number of other matters of general interest to the department were discussed and the year promises to be most eventful for the members.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. Berg, of Southport, was here yesterday on business.

—Mr. E. V. Evans, of Leland, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. L. Pitkin of Charlotte was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. T. W. Alderman, of Greensboro, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. J. F. Robertson and wife, of Florence, S. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. S. Chambers, of Rocky Mount, N. C., was among last evening's arrivals at The Orton.

—Ex-Congressman Robert B. Scarborough, of Conway, S. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were Messrs. Geo. G. French and A. D. Pednau, of Lumberton.

—Messrs. A. T. Parmele and A. P. Caldwell, of Lumberton, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. Frank Banks has returned from New York and Philadelphia, where he witnessed basball games in the world's championship series.

—Messrs. J. N. Sweeney and James E. Holton have returned from the North, where they attended the opening games of the world's baseball series.

—Mr. H. G. Bowden, field secretary of the Y. M. C. A., of the Carolinas, left yesterday for Charlotte, his headquarters, after spending a few days in the city with relatives and friends.

—Mr. E. B. Stevens, of Southport, was in the city yesterday on his way home from Richmond, Va., where he attended the annual meeting of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention.

—Deputy Sheriff W. Harvey Cox and son, Floyd Cox, and brother, Mr. I. J. Cox, the latter of Durham, left yesterday afternoon for Verona, where they will spend ten days on a hunting expedition.

—Sanford Express: "Mr. and Mrs. David Carter, of Wilmington, are up on a visit. Mr. Carter, who has a position on the Atlantic Coast Line, was recently hurt, his hand being broken up by getting caught by a car."

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Southern were Geo. L. Graham, Florence; H. A. Brooks, Goldsboro; H. M. Durant, C. H. Zibelin and W. R. Zibelin, Currie; J. R. Maxwell, Whiteville; L. P. Gordy, Rocky Point; A. F. Walton, Hamlet; J. L. Lee, Shallotte; A. J. Whitfield, Hamlet; E. A. Boone, Rocky Mount.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were: Chas. B. Scarborough, Conway, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson, Marion, S. C.; Thos. L. Simmons, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, Rutherfordton; Mrs. Helen Gantt Mims, Whiteville; R. P. Dick, Greensboro; L. S. Christian, Durham, N. C. Thomas, Charlotte.

—Dr. J. J. McKanna, proprietor of the famous Three-Day Liquor Cure, arrived last night from his sanitarium in Reidsville. Dr. McKanna is now treating patients at the sanitarium in Reidsville and reports from up the State are to the effect that he is meeting with much success. He is here on a business trip and while here will be glad to see as many of his friends as possible.

Snow Marsh Improvement

In its port paragraphs yesterday's Baltimore Sun says: "Information has been received from Capt. L. H. Rand, United States Engineer, that Snow Marsh channel, Cape Fear river, North Carolina, has been improved by dredging. The channel has been straightened and is now in one straight reach instead of two and has a width of 270 feet and a depth of 26 feet at mean low water from the angle opposite Buoy No. 16 to the 26-foot contour opposite Price's creek."

Donation to the Hospital.

The colored organization in this city known as "The United Order of Love and Charity," through its chairman, William Daniels, has sent the sum of $9 as a donation to the James Walker Memorial Hospital for the colored ward at that institution. The Board of Managers of the hospital appreciate this action of the colored citizens as a mark of their interest in the sick and unfortunate of their race now being cared for at the hospital in the colored ward.

Funeral of Mrs. Wilson

The funeral of Mrs. C. W. Wilson, whose death occurred early Thursday morning, was held Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the family residence, No. 97 Delgado. Mrs. Wilson was 58 years old and is survived by her husband and three children, who have the sympathy of a great many friends. She had been ill for some time.

After the kind of paper it is written on, the next most important thing to a girl about a love letter is the underscoring.

LOCAL DOTS.

—"The White Sister," will be the attraction at the Academy of Music today, matinee and night.

—Through the A. W. Pate Co., real estate agency, Mr. Ferdinand Fick has purchased from Mr. D. Lowenstein three houses on Dawson street, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

—Complaint has been made at police headquarters about boys shooting sling shots in the vicinity of Sixth and Chesnut streets and it was said at the hall yesterday that the boys will be arrested unless they desist.

—It is said that the tracks observed on Masonboro Sound a few days ago and first reported to have been made by a bear, are now said to have been the tracks of a "blind tiger," which are very common in this section.

—Boy Scouts, local troop, No. 2, B. A. Thees, master, went to Grainger's Point, Masonboro Sound, yesterday afternoon and will be in camp there until this afternoon, when they will return to the city. Mr. Thees accompanied the boys.

Taken Back to Ivanhoe

J. B. Rogers, the young white man arrested here Thursday on receipt of a telegraphic request from Magistrate D. L. Gurganeous, of Ivanhoe, who said that a warrant had been issued for him for seduction, was taken back to Sampson county yesterday morning by an officer from that county to answer the charge against him. He told Hall Officer J. S. Lane that he was willing to marry the girl he is said to have wronged.

VOTES FOR WOMEN.

National Woman's Suffrage Convention in Session at Louisville.

Louisville, Oct. 20.—The next great transition that is destined to sweep the country will be the "political emancipation of women," in the opinion of Omar E. Garwood, of Denver, who addressed the National Woman Suffrage Convention here today. Mr. Garwood told of conditions in Colorado during the 18 years that equal suffrage has been practiced there and declared that women's interest in matters political had resulted in placing the State among the leaders of progressive commonwealth. He said in part:

"Complaint has been made that the women of Colorado have made a poor showing in procuring laws relating to children, yet the members of the Interparliamentary Union, who made careful personal study of children's laws in all parts of America, said that Colorado has the sanest, most humane, most progressive and most scientific laws relating to children to be found on any statute books in the world. Through the influence of women voters parental and truant schools have been established, as well as industrial school for girls and a State traveling library, wholesome factory laws, State labor agencies, compulsory education, the pensioning of teachers, reform registration laws, the Australian ballot law, punishing wife desertion as a felony, the recall, initiative and referendum in certain localities, the local option law by which many towns and counties and the residence portions of Denver have been voted dry, and the commission form of government.

"The strongest men in Colorado believe in equal suffrage. Governor Shafroth, ex-Governor Alva Adams, Judge Ben B. Lindsey, United States Marshal Dewey C. Bailey, former District Attorney Isaac N. Stevens, Congressman Edward T. Taylor, John A. Martin and A. W. Rucker, are a few of the prominent men in Colorado who have declared time after time that the equal suffrage experiment in Colorado had been a decided success.

"It is ridiculous to contend that there is any relation between equal suffrage and divorce in Colorado. Judges and lawyers all agree that no divorce case has ever arisen in Colorado which could be traced in the remotest way to the existence of equal suffrage.

"Equal suffrage has not worked against the home, nor has it tended in any way to deprive women of their womanliness; rather has it tended to increase her interest in civic welfare and the betterment of social conditions. Women are not indifferent to the ballot. Almost as many women vote in Colorado as men.

"It took some years to educate the women into the proper use of the ballot. Those who have held office in Colorado have done so with great credit to themselves. There has never arisen a single instance where a Colorado woman office holder has been accused of any irregularity, much less corruption, in the administration of her office. As officeholders and as voters women acquit themselves more creditably than do the men.

"The critics of equal suffrage have entirely lost hight of the fact that the vast majority of Colorado women vote conscientiously, wisely and intelligently. Elections are held quietly. Women are shown every respect at the polls, and as a prominent Coloradean said, 'I would feel less anxiety in seeing my wife or daughter in the worst polling place in Denver on election day than to see her on Broadway in certain portions of the theatre district in New York City after 10 P. M.' The men who are in charge of great political movements in Colorado realize that the women vote must always be reckoned with, and no nominating convention dares to flaunt a known rascal's name in the faces of the women.

"Equal suffrage will always exist in this State; it is right in principle and successful in practice and is bound to become universal in America. The recent advent of Washington and California into the list of equal suffrage States, stands as an irresistible indication of the next great transition that is destined to sweep the country—the political emancipation of women."

PILOTS CHOOSE OFFICERS

O'Brien, Turnure and Low to Serve Another Term

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 20.—All officers of the American Pilots Association were re-elected here at the conclusion of their biennial business session as follows:

President, J. Edward O'Brien, of Pensacola; vice president, E. W. Turnure, of New York; secretary and treasurer, John H. Low, of Boston.

The next meeting place will be left for the president to determine.

can think of nobody more likely to win the Chinese Presidency than our old friend Wu Ting-Fang.—Washington Post.

..Theatrical..

The Academy twice today will offer a big dramatic attraction, one of the best that has ever been presented in the South. It will be Viola Allen's greatest success, "The White Sister," which is a play of powerful temperament and one that glorifies religion.

The play is said to be the most wholesome ever offered and this season it is being given an able interpretation by a splendid cast, while the production is really a magnificent one. Seats for both performances today, matinee and night, went on sale at Plummer's yesterday. The prices for night range to $1.50, but only go to $1 for the matinee.

The press everywhere has highly praised the "White Sister," and the following comes from Thursday Durham Sun:

LILLIAN RHODES.
In "The White Sister," Academy Today, Matinee and Night.

"'The White Sister' was played to a small but appreciative audience at the Academy Wednesday evening.

"The play lacks nothing in the way of thrilling dramatic interest from beginning to end. It is the kind that makes one feel that it was good to have been there.

"Miss Lillian Rhodes, as the White Sister, was superb. She was well supported, and the whole company shows well rounded talent."

Big Comedy Triumph.

That marvel of merriment "Seven Days," Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood's play of a week in quarantine, pronounced by the New York Evening Mail "the jolliest seven days you can imagine," will be at the Academy next Tuesday night, right from the Astor Theatre, New York, with the record of a third year on Broadway and a fame for laughter that makes other comedies a mere titter by comparison. It is a high explosive of fun that penetrates the thickest armor of solemnity. It is a bombardment of laughter against which the stoutest entrenchment of stoicism is defenseless. There is no withstanding its assault of hilarity. May as well raise the white flag of surrender immediately and capitulate unconditionally to the overwhelming force of jollity. Seats on sale Monday.

At the Bijou.

Today is going to be a big one at the popular Bijou. This means big artistically, because it goes without saying that the attendance is going to be large. That is the daily order of things at the Bijou, but more is added on for Saturdays. The Bijou has a swell bill, too, for today, so appetites may be whetted up to a point in anticipation of something extra fine, and of something rare. The music will be especially gleeful, embracing the latest New York hits, and this is the season of the year when hits are coming from dear old Broadway. In the film line there will be three reels crowded with the latest and best pictures. At the head of the dramatic part will be the beautiful film "Forgotten," in which a pretty, motherless little child plays the stellar role. It is pathetic, but bright, and all ends well. As the leader of the fun pictures will come "Mike's Hero". It is something far away from the beaten path, and the antics of "Mike" and a hobo will cause howls of laughter.

At the Grand

The Grand will offer a big bill in motion pictures today. A Lubin film of "The Idle Boast," proves that there are other things in the world better than money and a Kalem film of "Daniel Boone's Bravery," will be historically interesting and thrilling, being a true incident in the life of that great hunter. This is a picture that should not fail to be seen, especially by the younger folks. By request Nat Hilt, the character song artist, will sing, "Play That Barber Shop Chord," which should bring down the house.

The New Lyric

The change of programme at the New Lyric Theatre yesterday proved quite attractive to patrons of the little theatre on Market street. Too much cannot be said about this bill as there is plenty of good comedy, good singing and everybody is happy. There will be a special matinee for ladies and children to start at 4 P. M. sharp this afternoon.

STEEL MILLS TO SHUT DOWN

Shortage of Orders Will Lead to Reduction Today

Baltimore, Oct. 20.—Because of a shortage of orders for steel rails, which has been felt for some weeks and has caused a gradual reduction in product of the Maryland Steel Company, at Sparrows Point, the steel-making departments will close down tomorrow for an indefinite period, possibly until after the first of the year.

This suspension affects directly and indirectly something like 1,000 men, but fortunately the shipyard is very busy, and many of them have already found places in the yard. The stoppage of the rail mill affects other departments which are in a measure auxiliary to it. The skilled mechanics can be provided for in the marine department.

Malaria Makes Pale Sickly Children. The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children. 50c.

WILL NOT ACCEPT BILLS

National City Bank Will Not Handle Bureau Paper.

New York, Oct. 20.—The National City Bank which has been an important factor in foreign cotton bills, announced today its decision not to accept bills of lading under the terms imposed by the recently established Central Bureau or Clearing House, which was organized as a means for preventing negotiation of fradulent bills. Officials of the bank, which was prominent in the protracted negotiations with European banks throughout the last year, declined to state the reason for this action. It is understood, however, that the terms laid down by the Central Bureau are held to conflict with certain English laws calculated to restrict the value or negotiability of such a document in that it fails to fix responsibility in case of frauds.

The action of the City Bank was arrived at by advice of counsel and beginning next Monday the bank will handle only "straight bills"; that is, bills of exchange that bear no reference to any documents or to the merchandise they are supposed to cover.

The form of the bill acceptable to the City Bank is clearly set forth in a formal circular to customers. It is not known what effect this action will have on other domestic institutions or banking houses dealing in foreign cotton bills.

TURKS AND BULGARIANS FIGHT

Battled for Three Hours and Losses Very Heavy

London, Oct. 21.—The Chronicle's Salonki correspondent says that serious fighting has taken place between Turkish and Bulgarian troops on the frontier. The conflict lasted three hours and the losses on both sides are reported to have been heavy.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Nineteen young men today were appointed second lieutenants in the army, nine of them being graduates of the Naval Academy and ten honor-graduates of colleges. Among the college graduates are Lindsay McD. Silvester, Portsmouth, Va.; Leonard T. Gerow, Petersburg, Va., and George D. Murphey, Augusta, Ga.

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OCTOBER FIRST SPECIALS.

Those who expect to move or to begin housekeeping the First can have their requirements met here as nowhere else:

We have a great variety of Specials held in reserve for this special time—opened Monday, September 25, not picked over, refused goods.

Handsome slip leather seat Oak Diner, worth $3.50, at **$1.98.**

6-foot round pedestal Dining Table, worth $15, **$9.98.**

Splendid Iron Bed, 2-inch continuous posts, snowy white, **$7.98.**

Brussels Art Squares, 9x12, worth $15.00, **$9.95.**

Velvet Rugs, 9x19, worth $22.50, **$12.95.**

Axminster Rugs, 9x12, worth $27.50, at **$15.95,** will be shown for the first time Tuesday, September 26.

Good China Matting, **$4.80** for 40 yards.

Toilet Sets, **$1.89.**

Read this list, which is only a partial one, every article the very best of its kind and as cheap as the above.

Quite a number of Samples yet fresh, some not yet opened, which no living man can equal in price and quality, if bought otherwise than as we have bought them.

Bed Room Suits, Odd Dressers, Washstands, Chiffonieres in Solid Mahogany, Birdseye Maple and Quartered Golden Oak; Dining Room, Library and Hall Furniture, Brass and Iron Beds; Spring Mattresses, Chairs, Rockers, Ladies' Dressing Tables, Ladies' Desks, Mattresses, Bed Spreads, Dinner Sets, Etc.

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THE GLORY OF CLEMENTINA, by William J. Locke.
KENNEDY SQUARE, by F. Hopkinson Smith.
THE MILLER OF OLD CHURCH, by Ellen Glasgow.

ROBERT C. DeROSSET
BOOKSELLER & STATIONER.

STEADIER TONE FOR COTTON

Predicted Frosts Failed to Materialize But Other Influences Favored Higher Prices—Decline Soon Checked—Liverpool

New York, Oct. 20.—While the predicted frosts failed to materialize in the South, the cotton market showed a generally steady tone today on covering for over the week-end and buying for a reaction which doubtless was encouraged by the outlook for continued cool weather, reports of steadier interior spot markets and less active selling here for Southern account. The close was very steady at a net advance of 5 to 10 points.

The opening was steady at the decline of one point on December but generally two to four points higher in response to unexpectedly firm Liverpool cables. Offerings were heavy on the initial advance owing to the failure of the weather map to show any sign of killing temperatures or frosts in the western belt following yesterday's cold weather predictions and shortly after the call after months sold about two to five points lower with October relatively easy as the result of a few notices. The decline was soon checked, however, and following the publication of the Western belt forecast calling for colder weather in Texas, and again predicting frost in Arkansas and Oklahoma, the market worked gradually higher. Trading was less active than for several days past. Recent local buyers seemed to be selling on a scale up, but the South was offering very little cotton here and while fluctuations were somewhat irregular during the afternoon the high point of the day was reached in the late trading when December sold at 9.29 and January at 9.16 or about 11 points net higher. The close was within a point or two of the best on active positions. Private wires from the South were rather more encouraging as to the spot situation, indicating a better demand and smaller offerings but it was claimed by local bears that the steadier tone resulted from the buying of spot shorts for October shipments, rather than from cash business, and while trade interests were moderate buyers here during the day, there was no appearance of aggressive support from the South with local brokers evidently inclined to attribute the day's improvement chiefly to covering as a result of uncertainty over the weather and the reduced volume of Southern hedge selling. The weekly statistics were without apparent influence.

Receipts today 86,684 bales against 71,225 last week and 73,365 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 6,-590 bales against 9,670 last year. At Houston 14,347 bales against 19,615 last year. Spot closed dull 10 points higher; middling uplands 9.45; do. gulf 9.70. No sales.

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Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	9.06	9.16	9.02	9.16
February	.....	.....	.....	9.23
March	9.22	9.30	9.16	9.30
April	.....	.....	.....	9.36
May	9.35	9.44	9.30	9.44
June	.....	.....	.....	9.49
July	9.44	9.51	9.40	9.53
August	.....	.....	.....	9.47
September	9.44	9.36	9.36	9.50
October	9.00	9.08	8.96	9.12
November	9.02	.....	.....	9.12
December	9.18	9.30	9.15	9.30

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 9 9-16; net receipts, 19,906; gross receipts, 19,906; sales, 471; stock, 170,075; Great Britain, 5,647.

New Orleans — Steady, 9 7-16; net receipts, 6,390; gross receipts, 6,390; sales, 4,000; stock, 87,793; coastwise, 972.

Mobile—Steady, 9¼; net receipts, 2,467; gross receipts, 2,467; sales, 500; stock, 39,-861; continent, 7,699; coastwise, 100.

Savannah—Firm, 8 15-16; net receipts, 16,659; gross receipts, 16,659; sales, 5,615; stock, 204,777; coastwise, 3,620.

Charleston—Steady, 9; net receipts, 2,-323; gross receipts, 2,323; sales, 500; stock, 48,519; coastwise, 300.

Wilmington—Steady, 8¾; net receipts, 6,472; gross receipts, 6,472; stock, 18,393; continent, 13,925; coastwise, 600.

Norfolk—Steady, 9 1-16; net receipts, 4,766; gross receipts, 1,246; stock, 33,204; coastwise, 1,410.

Baltimore—Nominal, 9¾; net receipts, 2,-695; gross receipts, 5,195; stock, 3,784; continent, 5,303.

New York—Dull, 9.45; gross receipts, 2,-541; stock, 78,532; continent, 150; coastwise, 548.

Boston—Quiet, 9.45; net receipts, 138; gross receipts, 3,800; stock, 2,642; continent, 159.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 9.70; gross receipts, 300; stock, 3,272; Great Britain, 999.

Brunswick—Gross receipts, 21,324; stock, 16,438; coastwise, 429.

Texas City—Gross receipts, 4,149.

Total today at all ports—Net, 86,689; Great Britain, 15,582; continent, 27,136; stock, 741,929.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 469,490; Great Britain, 149,988; France, 52,155; continent, 138,138; Japan, 2,834.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 2,-537,702; Great Britain, 809,520; France, 233,-225; continent, 707,387; Japan, 12,710; Mexico, 650.

THE INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 9⅝; net receipts, 14,-357; gross receipts, 14,357; shipments, 15,-049; sales, 3,848; stock, 108,014.

Augusta—Steady, 9½; net receipts, 5,-238; gross receipts, 5,903; shipments, 3,-597; sales, 2,283; stock, 54,921.

Memphis—Steady, 9⅝; net receipts, 6,-252; gross receipts, 9,472; shipments, 5,950; sales, 4,100; stock, 72,644.

St. Louis—Dull, 9¾; net receipts, 481; gross receipts, 2,407; shipments, 3,109; stock, 6,442.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,000; gross receipts, 1,000; shipments, 757; stock, 10,-953.

Little Rock—Quiet, 9½; net receipts, 1,-624; gross receipts, 1,624; shipments, 708; stock, 17,736.

Louisville—Firm, 9¾; net receipts, 153; gross receipts, 153; shipments, 24; sales, 119; stock, 210.

Total today—net receipts, 29,105; gross receipts, 34,916; shipments, 29,194; sales, 10,350; stock, 270,920.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, Oct. 20.—For the week ending Friday, Oct. 20:

Net receipts at all United States ports, during week, 469,940.

Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year, 462,505.

Total receipts since September 1st, 2,-537,702.

Total receipts to same date last year, 2,134,520.

Exports for the week, 343,115.

Exports for same week last year, 305,406.

Total exports since September 1st, 1,-763,492.

Total exports same date last year, 1,-418,184.

Stock at all United States ports, 741,920.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 634,477.

Stock at all interior towns, 465,537.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 349,427.

Stock at Liverpool, 294,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 379,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 353,000.

THE TREND IS NOW UPWARD

Weekly Review of Cotton Shows Rally and Better Prices Are Looked for—Spinners Anticipating Their Needs.

New York, Oct. 20.—Cotton, which earlier in the week showed a downward tendency under pressure of heavy offerings from the South, both at home and abroad, has latterly suddenly faced about and advanced on the startled shorts. They have had too much company.

Everybody has assumed it was a perfectly safe thing to sell cotton short on an anticipated crop of from 15,000,000 to 17,000,000 bales as against a world's consumption of American cotton last year of only about 12,000,-000 bales and an estimated consumption this year of not over 12,500,000 bales to 13,000,000 bales. But some close students of cotton conditions affirm that if prices remain at the present level or become much cheaper, the spinners of the world might take a quantity of American cotton far beyond their actual consumption. In other words, while this consumption might not be more than 13,000,000 bales, it is urged that under favorable price conditions the world's spinners might be induced to take 15,000,-000 bales, or even more if the cotton could be had. The additional receipts, it is contended, do not justify the extremely high crop estimates. Judging from present appearance, that is from the actual movement of the crop, rather than from mere predictions as to its size, the yield, it is averred, may not prove much over 14,000,000 bales. Also, there is the danger of frost. This has caused not a little uneasiness among the overcrowded shorts. For many weeks the weather conditions in the South were not unlike those of July or August, but bulls point out that in the nature of things this could not be expected to last, and that with a largely over-extended short interest begotten of unbounded confidence on the part of the rank and file of traders on the bear side of the market, the first sign of a general killing frost over an extensive tract of the cotton belt, a bear stampede might easily be brought about. Texas and Memphis operators, formerly bearish, have latterly turned bulls at least for a turn, and have made things unpleasant for those who stuck to the short side of the market.

Many of the Waldorf Astor element on the short side have deemed it prudent to cover. Room traders have been quick to take the cue and have also bought for a rise. Liverpool has pricked up its ears and followed in the wake in spite of the unfavorable dispatches from Manchester, where a fear is expected that China and Turkey, by reason of war troubles, may cancel large orders for cloths. These two countries are the two largest of Lancashire's markets. On the other hand, there are still a good many bears. They adhere to the conviction that this is a record breaker crop, that the consumption by reason of the high cost of living, is likely to fall a couple of million bales below the yield of cotton and that while rallies from time to time at the expense of the short interest may naturally be expected, the general drift of prices must be downward until the pressure of the actual cotton on the world's market is sensibly relieved. The worst feature for some time past has been the hedge selling at New York, said to be of unprecedented volume, and for which there is little market except among the shorts. But the spot markets have latterly shown more steadiness. The South is offerings cotton less freely in Liverpool and the approach of the frost period is expected to bring with it larger buying by spinners and less aggressive operations on the short side. Interior receipts have latterly decreased.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, October 20.—A new high price record for the season was made today in wheat. Rain and snow northwest hurried up investors who had been hoping in vain that a reaction was just at hand. The close, though nervous, was a ¼@1¼c. net advance. Corn finished 1¼@1⅝ above last night. Oats were up ¼ to ⅜, and hog products dearer by 7½@25c.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.01½@1.02½; No. 3, red, 1.00@1.02; No. 2, hard, 1.05@1.07; No. 3, hard, 1.02@1.05; No. 1, northern, 1.15@1.17; No. 2, northern, 1.13@1.15; No. 3, northern, 1.11@1.12; No. 2, spring, 1.05 @1.14; No. 3, spring, 1.03@1.12½; No. 4, sprng, 90@1.10; velvet chaff, 90@1.12½; durum, 95@1.08.

Corn—No. 2, 73@75½; No. 2, white, 75½@76; No. 2, yellow, 75½@76; No. 3, 72@75¼; No. 3, white, 74¾@77¼; No. 3, yellow, 75@75½; No. 4, white, 74¼; No. 4, yellow, 73½@75.

Oats—No. 2, 47@47⅜; No. 2, white, 48¼@49; No. 3, 47½; No. 3, white, 47½@ 48¼; No. 4, 46⅜@47; No. 4, white, 47@ 47⅜; standard, 48@48½.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	1.01¼	1.02½	1.01	1.02¼
May	1.05¾	1.06¾	1.05¾	1.06¾
July	1.00¼	1.00½	1.00	1.00¾
Corn:				
Dec	65⅜	66¾	65⅜	66⅜
May	66¼	67¼	65⅜	67¼
July	65¾	66⅛	65¼	66⅜
Oats:				
Dec	47¾	48⅛	47¾	48⅛
May	50¼	50⅝	50⅛	50⅝
July	47	47⅛	47	47⅛
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Jan	15.55	15.85	15.52	15.80
May	15.70	15.97	15.65	15.92½
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
Oct	8.95	8.97½	8.95	8.97½
Jan	9.05	9.15	9.05	9.15
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Jan	8.15	8.25	8.15	8.25
May	8.30	8.35	8.25	8.35

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Good Business With Prices Three Points Higher—Futures Were Steady.

Liverpool, October 20.—Spot, good business done; prices three points higher; American middling fair, 5.71; good middling, 5.43; middling, 5.29; low middling, 5.15; good ordinary, 4.95; ordinary, 4.70.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,500 were for speculation and export, and included 8,400 American. Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 3,800 American.

Futures opened steady and closed steady, October, 5.06; October and November, 5.02½; November and December, 4.96½; December and January, 4.97; January and February, 4.98½; February and March, 5.01; March and April, 5.03; April and May, 5.05; May and June, 5.07; June and July, 5.08½; July and August, 5.10; August and September, 5.08; September and October, 5.06; October and November, 5.04.

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STOCK MARKET IS ERRATIC

Closed, However, With Substantial Gains—Pool in United States Steel—Metals Most Conspicuous—Sugar.

New York, Oct. 20.—Erratic movements today again characteri ed the stock market, although it exhibited a consistently firm undertone. Prices seemed to fluctuate in response to no well defined changes in opinion, which remains confused and uncertain. Changes in consequence were often perplexing and could be attributed only to the fortunes of speculative interests of the 'change.

The market closed with substantial gains ranging from one to two points among the active stocks, but the advance seemed to represent more temporary advantage of one faction that and genuine enhancement of market values.

Although activity increased on both sides of the market, the bears were not able to bring such periods of weakness as they produced yesterday. According to the gossip of the sereet, a large pool was at work in United States Steel. Whether or not there is any ground for such a report, evidences of manipulation in various parts of the list were plain. Bears attacked the market energetically in the early trading, but made little headway. Selling at the outset was unusually heavy. More than 50,000 shares of U. S. Steel were thrown on the market within the first few minutes, but, although the list weakened somewhat, it soon recovered. After a series of unimportant fluctuations the market took on renewed activity before the close and in the last half hour prices were carried up rapidly.

The metal stocks were most conspicuous. Transactions in United States Steel constituted one-half of the total morning's business. The copper stocks, after several months of inactivity became prominent in speculation. Amalgamated Copper advanced two points on heavy dealings and Anaconda, Tennessee Copper, Utah Copper and American Smelting gained a point or more. While the movement in these stocks is largely speculative it has a basis in current conditions in the copper metal trade. Sales of copper continue on a large scale, for both domestic and foreign delivery and prices have been quite generally advanced by producers and selling agencies. Although sales thus far this month are estimated at more than one hundred million pounds, a large increase in surplus stocks at the end of October is expected.

Declaration of an initial dividend on American Beet Sugar common, placing it on a 5 per cent. basis, had been discounted some time ago, although the stock made a further advance to 59 3-4, its highest price on record. Allis Chalmers recovered part of its recent loss. The movement was not pronounced in the 5 per cent. bonds, which gained more than three points. Trading in bonds was on a smaller basis today. Prices improved after their early irregularity. Total sales, par value, $2,002,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales 680,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	11
Amalgamated Copper	54½
American Agricultural	51
American Beet Sugar	59¼
American Can	10⅝
American Car and Foundry	48⅝
American Cotton Oil	47¼
American Hide and Leather, pfd	21
American Ice Securities	17½
American Linseed	8⅝
American Locomotive	34
American Smelting and Refining	66
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	101½
American Steel Foundries	29¼
American Sugar Refining	117
American Tel and Tel	134⅜
American Tobacco, pfd	95⅝
American Woolen	30
Anaconda Mining Co	35⅜
Atchison	107⅜
Atchison, pfd	103
Atlantic Coast Line	126¾
Baltimore and Ohio	97⅞
Bethlehem Steel	28
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75¼
Canadian Pacific	230½
Central Leather	21
Central Leather, pfd	94
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake and Ohio	74⅜
Chicago and Alton	25
Chicago Great Western	18
Chicago Great Western, pfd	37
Chicago and North Western	145
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	108½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	63
Colorado Fuel and Iron	27¼
Colorado and Southern	48
Consolidated Gas	139¼
Corn Products	10¾
Delaware and Hudson	162
Denver and Rio Grande	22
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	46¼
Distillers' Securities	31
Erie	30⅝
Erie, 1st pfd	50
Erie, 2nd pfd	41¼
General Electric	150½
Great Northern, pfd	124
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	43½
Illinois Central	139
Interborough-Met	14⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	44½
Inter-Harvester	104½
Inter-Marine, pfd	14⅜
International Paper	10¼
International Pump	27
Iowa Central	18
Kansas City Southern	29⅝
Kansas City Southern, pfd	64¼
Laclede Gas	104½
Louisville and Nashville	147½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	32
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	134
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	31⅝
Missouri, Kan., and Tex., pfd	67
Missouri Pacific	39¼
National Biscuit	128½
National Lead	47½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	33¾
New York Central	105⅝
New York, Ontario and Western	38½
Norfolk and Western	106⅜
North American	68
Northern Pacific	118⅜
Pacific Mail	30¼
Pennsylvania	122¼
People's Gas	106½
Pittsburg, C., C. and St. Louis	94¼
Pittsburg Coal	18
Pressed Steel Car	28½
Pullman Palace Car	158⅜
Railway Steel Spring	27
Reading	140⅜
Republic Steel	22½
Republic Steel, pfd	84½
Rock Island Co	25¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	47¾
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	41
St. Louis Southwestern	30
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	67⅞
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	39
Southern Pacific	109¾
Southern Railway	20½
Southern Railway, pfd	70
Tennessee Copper	35½
Texas and Pacific	24⅜
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	18½
Toledo, St. L. and Western, pfd	42½
Union Pacific	163½
Union Pacific, pfd	91
United States Realty	66⅜
United States Rubber	42⅜
United States Steel	60⅝
United States Steel, pfd	109⅝
Utah Copper	44⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	48¼
Wabash	12⅞

IMPROVEMENT CONSERVATIVE

Yet Business is Strong According to Dun's Weekly Review of Trade

New York, Oct. 20.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Immediate requirements to replenish depleted stocks, coupled with lower prices are mainly responsible for a continued increase in trade activity. The improvement is conservative, but it is steady, and it is noticeable in nearly every large trade center.

Weakness is still pronounced in pig iron with sales of from 10,000 to 15,000 tons of foundry grades reported in Eastern New York, partly for early delivery. In plates and structural material even sharper competition is claimed, and while new business is keeping up at a fair rate, it is at the expense of values. Orders for railroad equipment and steel cars, and stimulated by the lower prices, and the same cause has influenced the placing of some good orders for plates for vessel construction. Wire products are moving in good volume and several additional contracts have been placed for pipe.

That the dry goods trade is expanding steadily is shown by the increased operations of mills and manufacturers of different dry goods specialites.

Jobbers are beginning to look further ahead for early Spring needs and lower prices for tickings, denims and other heavy colored cottons have resulted in more active ordering. Brown cottons and printcloths are easier. Bleached cottons are quiet, but staple prints and percales are well under order and several lines of ginghams are sold up for Spring. Export cotton goods trade has received a set back because of the complications in China, but Red Sea trade holds up and business with other foreign markets is steady. Yarns are easier and silks are not generally active.

Buyers in foot wear show a disposition to place larger contracts to cover future needs and manufacturers are asking advances to cover higher costs for leather.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Br. str. Winnie, 1,583 tons, Butcher, Huelva, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Br. str. Shira, 2,401 tons, Cann, Philadelphia, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Navahoe, Packer, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Cleared.

Schr. Nellie W. Craig, Lane, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Exports—Domestic.

New York—Schr. Nellie W. Craig, 475,-000 feet of lumber; cargo by Buell-Crocker Lumber Co., and Camp Manufacturing Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Windsor Hall, (Br.), 2,350 tons, James, Heide & Co.

King George (Br.), 2,480 tons, Burnett, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Winnie (Br.), 1,583 tons, Butcher, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Shira (Br.), 2,401 tons, Cann, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Schr. Linah C. Kaminski, 421 tons, Christensen, C. D. Maffitt.

Eliza A. Scribner, 350 tons, Dodd, C. D. Maffitt.

Sylvia C. Hall, 285 tons, Sprague, C. D. Maffitt.

Estelle, 342 tons, Walker, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., October 20.

Atlantic Coast Line—5,320 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 1 barrel tar; 139 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—532 bales cotton; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—6,472 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 1 barrel tar; 144 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 20th.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 46½ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $6.00 per barrel.

TAR—Firm at $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.50 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 70¼; rosin, steady, 5.40; tar, firm, $2.50; crude turpentine, firm, at $4.00@$5.50 and $6.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	4
Rosin	8
Tar	1
Crude Turpentine	144

Receipts same day last year, 28 casks spirits turpentine; 210 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar; 44 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 8¾ cents.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts — 6,472 bales; same day last year, 1,833 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 7th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .85 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.00 to $1.25; Spanish, $1.10 to $1.25.

CORN—Firm; .85 to .87½c. per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.25 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, dull, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 17 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, 12 to .13 per lb

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 20c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Fair demand. .21 to .22 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, .90 to $2.50 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

The Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 14.—Market, dull; no trading. Farmers' stock exhausted. Shelled No. 1, Spanish, 6¼c. to 6½c. per lb.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, October 20.—Money on call, steady, at 2½@2½; ruling rate, 2½; closing bid, 2½; offered at 2½. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3¼@3½, and ninety days, 3½@3¾; six months, 3¾@3¾.

Prime mercantile paper, 4½@4¾.

Sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83.25 for sixty day bills, and at 4.86.80 for demand. Commercial bills, at 4.82½; bar silver, 51¾; Mexican dollars, 45.

DRY GOOODS MARKET.

New York, October 20.—The cotton goods markets are quiet, with an easy tendency. Yarns are quiet, but with inquiries on contracts more frequent. Jobbers are doing a steady trade with small orders predominating.

Wabash, pfd	25⅞
Western Maryland	56½
Westinghouse Electric	64⅜
Western Union	78½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	9¼

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

October 21, 1911.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Friday, October 20th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 56 degrees; at 8 P. M., 68 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 64 degrees.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Friday, 12.9 feet and rising.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; for the month, 1.74 inches.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Light local rains Saturday; Sunday, generally fair; moderate northeast to east winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 21.

Sun rises	6:22 A. M.
Sun sets	5:31 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 9 min.
High water at Southport	6:55 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	9:35 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 20, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	64	44	.0
Asheville	clear	68	46	.0
Atlanta	clear	74	58	.0
Augusta	cloudy	78	56	.0
Birmingham	clear	76	54	.0
Boston	cloudy	56	52	.0
Charleston	clear	76	62	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	72	52	.0
Chicago	raining	56	50	.16
Galveston	cloudy	80	72	.0
Jacksonville	clear	80	64	.0
Memphis	clear	72	54	.0
Mobile	clear	80	58	.0
Montgomery	clear	80	56	.0
New Orleans	clear	78	64	.0
New York	raining	60	56	.0
Palestine	clear	70	58	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	58	42	.0
Pittsburg	clear	66	44	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	66	54	.0
Savannah	clear	78	62	.0
Shreveport	pt cldy	76	54	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	52	48	.36
Washington	cloudy	64	60	.01

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, October 28.—Flour was nominally higher, with wheat.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Spot, firm. No. 2, red, 1.03½, elevator, export basis, and 1.04, f. o. b. afloat. Options, ¾@¾. December, 1.06 13-16; May, 1.11 3-16.

Corn—Strong; export, No. 2, 81¼, nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Options closed nominal.

Oats—Spot, steady. Options, nominal.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Firm.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Molasses—Firm.

Rice—Firm.

Sugar—Raw, nominal; refined, steady.

Coffee — Futures closed firm, 7 points lower to 20 points higher. Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 15¾@16; Santos, No. 4, 17; mild, firm; Cordova, 17@19, nominal. Firm offers from Brazil were reported unchanged to 10 points lower.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular.

Potatoes—Dull, unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Freights — Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Excited and higher on heavy covering of October shorts by a local commission house support from refiners, and with the strength in hog products. October closed 39 points net higher and other months 4 to 10 points higher. October, 6.16@6.19; November, 5.66@5.71; December, 5.62@5.63; January, 5.63@5.65; February, 5.66@5.70.

Prime crude, 440 sales. Prime Summer yellow, 5.80@6.00; prime Winter yellow, and Summer white, 6.00 bid.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, October 20.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	937,414
New Orleans	149,718
Mobile	75,752
Savannah	707,541
Charleston	125,063
Wilmington	124,024
Norfolk	131,801
Baltimore	7,721
New York	362
Boston	767
Newport News	34
San Francisco	10,253
Brunswick	118,879
Port Townsend	2,457
Pensacola	23,280
Port Arthur and Sabine Pass	7,876
Jacksonville	7,415
Georgetown	135
Texas City	107,210
Total bales	2,537,702

NAVAL STORES.

New York, October 20.—Rosin and turpentine, steady.

Savannah, October 20.—Spirits turpentine, 47¼; sales, 514; receipts, 793; shipments, 369; stock, 38,527.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,717. Receipts, 1,-676; shipments, 880; stocks, 83,830. Quote: B, 6.40; C, 6.45; E, 6.45@6.50; F, 6.45@ 6.50; G, 6.52½; H, 6.52½; I, 6.52½@6.55; K, 6.55; M, 6.55@6.60; N, 6.70; W G, 7.20; W W, 7.50.

Charleston, October 20.—Spirits turpentine, firm, at 47½.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, 6.40; D, 6.45; E, 6.50; F, 6.52½; G, 6.52½; H, 6.52½; I, 6.52½; K, 6.55; M, 6.55; N, 6.70; W G, 7.20; W W, 7.50.

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MURDER MYSTERY INVOLVES PASTOR

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Edmands, the girl burst into tears and threw her arms about his neck. She said nothing, but clung to him convulsively. Richeson comforted her, saying, "Don't cry, dear! Don't cry, everything will be all right."

Under the circumstances, Miss Linnell's death might have been dismissed as a suicide. The powder, the police believe, she accepted trustingly as a corrective for her condition, was taken while she was seated in a chair in her bath room. When found in a dying condition her feet were in a tub of hot water and by her side was a change of clothing. The circumstances induced Medical Examiner Timothy J. Leary to change his first verdict of one of murder.

Police investigation developed the statement from a young woman attached to the Y. W. C. A. Home, that when Mr. Richeson was notified by telephone of Miss Linnell's death he showed little interest, but asked:

"Did Miss Linnell say anything before she died?"

The answer was that she did not.

According to some friends of Miss Linnell at the Y. W. C. A. Home, she had a dinner appointment with a man friend on Saturday, the day of her death. The police have worked on the theory that the paper containing the poison powder was handed to her at that time, but they have not definitely decided that her companion at dinner was the clergyman, as far as is known.

While the accused man was being taken to Charles Street jail from the Tombs this afternoon, his rooms in Cambridge were being searched by police inspectors with the object, they say, of finding the remainder of the cyanide of potassium which Druggists Hahn says the minister purchased of him. The result of their search is unknown.

The Mother's Story.

Hyannis, Mass., Oct. 20.—"Thank God! I believe no mistake has been made." It was with this exclamation that Mrs. Edgar Linnell, mother of Avis Linnell, received the news that the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson had been arrested for the alleged murder of her daughter. Mrs. Linnell later, however, voiced the belief that Mr. Richeson was not accountable.

"He must have been out of his mind," she said and then told of certain particulars of Mr. Richeson which she noticed while he was a caller at her home.

"Mr. Richeson, whom I loved as a son, even before he became formally engaged to Avis, worried us often by attacks which he had at our house," she said. "Although they did not appear to be serious, they left him in a highly nervous state, and he was often forced to leave the table because of them. He worried about this trouble and once broke the engagement with Avis, giving his physical condition as the reason. Their engagement was renewed, however, and Avis, I firmly believe, was engaged to him when she died."

Between Mrs. Linnell and her daughter, Mrs. Vida McLean, the story of the acquaintance of Avis Linnell and the young pastor was told. Avis was a singer in the Baptist church choir when Mr. Richeson assumed the pastorate there four years ago. She was only 15 years old but the new minister showed marked attention to her and within a few months was calling at the Linnell home.

"At first I objected," said Mrs. Linnell, "but only because I thought Avis was too young. I liked Mr. Richeson and thought him an admirable man and finally consented when Avis told me that he loved her and that they were engaged. The wedding was set for last October, but Richeson's attacks troubled him until he broke the engagement, saying he would renew it if he found his physical condition warranted it. He became engaged to Avis again, but they had never set a date after the first, I believe."

Mrs. Linnell told of visiting Boston last week when she saw Avis and also met Mr. Richeson. "My little girl seemed in the best of spirits and appeared happy in her return with Mr. Richeson." Mrs. Linnell said and added that the minister told her at that time that reports that he was engaged to Miss Violet Edmands, of Brookline, were untrue.

"So gay and light-hearted did Avis appear that day that one would think the child had not a care in the world," said her mother. "Her music lessons were delightful to her, and everything was pleasant. Not a word or sign did she give me to indicate her condition."

His Church Disturbed.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 20.—After the regular prayer meeting tonight at the Immanuel Baptist Church here, of which Rev. Clarence Virgil Thompson Richeson is pastor, 25 prominent church members remained in the vestry and had an informal executive session at which the arrest of the clergyman on the murder charge was discussed. No statement of their action was given out, but Thomas H. Rumsey, chairman of the finance committee of the church, said after the meeting that he will advise Mr. Richeson to tender his resignation.

"It is hardly to be expected that a church would be satisfied to have the occupant of its pastorate in jail. This is true regardless of whether Mr. Richeson is guilty or innocent," said Rumsey.

That Mr. Richeson threatened several times to kill the dog owned in the house where he lived in Cambridge because he said it was a nuisance, was stated by Frank H. Carter, owner and occupant of the house, and a loyal friend of the minister. Mr. Carter said the dog's actions were the subject of much objection by the clergyman. He added:

"Two weeks ago Mr. Richeson came to me and complained of the dog, saying he would have to vocate his room or kill the dog. He said he would rather do the latter."

Soon to Wed Another Girl.

Lynchburg, Va., Oct. 20.—Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, who was arrested today at Brookline, Mass., for complicity in the murder of his alleged fiancee, Miss Avis Linnell, whose death occurred in Cambridge, Mass., last Saturday, is a native of Amherst county, 20 miles from this city, where he was born 34 years ago. His father, a prominent man in the affairs of that county, has been married three times and the minister is one of 11 children. At about the age of 15 he came here and worked for a time, leaving later for St. Louis, Mo., where he was employed as a street car man. While thus engaged he completed his education, which was begun in the public schools at Amherst. Relatives here today stated that Mr. Richeson expressed a desire from his youth to be a minister.

Cards were received here about a year ago announcing his engagement to Miss Violet Edmands and a week ago invitations to the wedding were received by numerous friends and relatives here. People who knew Mr. Richeson are loath to believe him guilty of any wrong doing.

EDITOR DANIELS BEREAVED.

Little Daughter Passes Away—Weekly Papers Organize.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Josephus Daniels have the sincerest sympathy of people all over the State in their bereavement in the loss of their infant daughter, which occurred early this morning. Little Addie Bagley Daniels was eleven days old, and she was the only daughter of fond parents. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

John Jones, well known white man, is recovering at Rex Hospital from a pistol shot wound in the head, received last night on Fayetteville street, in a quarrel with a negro. The negro fired at Jones, the ball entering his head just over the eyebrow and ranging in a glancing course to the left, and not injuring the skull. The negro, James Edwards, escaped.

The editors of weekly and semi-weekly newspapers in North Carolina in session here today, with Editor W. I. Underwood, of the Greensboro, Patriot, presiding, and Editor Depriest, of the Shelby Highlander, secretary. A binding agreement is to be perfected for signatures of members of the organization fixing minimum advertising rates, and there may be an advertising agent engaged to look after outside advertising for the papers and push the interests of the organization and its members. There is to be a conference of the officers of the association at Greensboro October 27th, when a name for the organization will be selected.

The combined attraction of the State fair and the Barnum and Bailey circus brought to Raleigh today one of the greatest crowds ever gathered here, sixty thousand people being pronounced a very conservative estimate. The State fair was thronged and the circus had a veritable crush of people, the gratifying thing for the fair management being that every one who came in on the train paid the fair admission with his railroad ticket, whether he entered the fair grounds or not. Not an accident of any kind has marred the day, and fair week closed tonight with the marshals' ball, which was the most brilliant event in the history of the State fair social functions.

MEN'S PAY TO WOMEN TEACHERS

Means Increase in Male Instructors, Says Gaynor

(Special to Baltimore Sun.)

New York, Oct. 19.—Mayor Gaynor today signed the bill passed at the recent special session of the Legislature at Senator Grady's instance giving the women teachers in New York public schools equal pay with the men teachers doing the same work.

The bill has still to receive the approval of Governor Dix before it becomes a law but in view of Mayor Gaynor's action no doubt was expressed at the City Hall today that the Governor would sign the bill also and give the women teachers the equal pay for which they have been fighting for the last six years.

The Mayor said in part:

"After careful consideration I see that I should accept this bill for the city. It gives the women teachers in our common schools equal pay with the men teachers in all the grades. They now have equal pay in only some of the grades. The Legislature has passed this bill several times in recent years. Its will should not be vetoed again.

"The rule of equal pay to men and women teachers is nothing new. It already prevails in more than one-half of the large cities of this country. Instead of lessening the number of men teachers it will increase it. The economical reason for appointing women teachers because they are paid less is removed by it."

A NEW PASSENGER DEPOT.

Demanded by Petition by the People of Conway.

Conway, Oct. 20.—A petition addressed to the executive department of the A. C. L. is being circulated among the business men and citizens generally of the town, praying that the railroad people would separate the business of the passenger and freight depots, and the petition is being practically unanimously signed. The place secured by the petitioners is the site of the old turn table on Sixth avenue, between Main street and the railroad track. This site is already the property of the railroad, so we have been informed, and is in every way admirably adapted to this purpose and is really unfit for any other purpose whatever.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.

Synod at Charlotte Discusses Relief of Ministers and Missions.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 20. — Before the synod of the German Reformed Church of the Potomac, of the German Reformed Church of America, relief of superannuated ministers was discussed by Dr. John M. Schick, of Washington, D. C., and Dr. Charles E. Schaeffer, of Philadelphia, made an appeal for the cause of home missions.

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REBEL VICTORY HAS LEAKED OUT

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can ships at Hankow are the gunboats Villalobos, Helena and El Cano. The American torpedo boats Bainbridge, Barry and Dale are here.

Berlin Dispatch

Berlin, Oct. 20.—The Chinese embassy here has received a cablegram from Peking announcing a government victory at Nanking. It says the insurgents were "considerably beaten" and the government troops and naval vessels were victorious.

Looters Shoot at Hankow

London, Oct. 20.—Special dispatches received here from Shanghai report that there has been rioting at Hankow, Han Yang and Wu Chang. Martial law was declared in all three cities but the rebels were only able to maintain partial order. At Hankow several looters were shot. At Han Yang both rioting and looting were indulged in.

Messages received from Tokio, the advices from Peking say, tell of feverish Japanese military and naval activities.

The news, it is stated, caused great anxiety to the Peking government.

ROOSEVELT ON JUDICIARY.

Must be Brought Within Control of Judgment of People.

New York, Oct. 20.—The judiciary of the United States must be brought within the control of and answerable to the well thought out judgment of the people, in the opinion of Theodore Roosevelt, who spoke tonight on "The Conservation of Womanhood and Childhood" before the civic forum. This control, in Mr. Roosevelt's judgment should be "exercised more cautiously and in different fashion than the control by the people over the legislator and the executive, but the control must be there."

Control of judges, Mr. Roosevelt said, was but half—although by far the more important part—of a programme which should be carried out for proper conservation of manhood, womanhood and childhood. The first half of the programme, he said, consisted in placing upon the statute books of Nation and States, legislation to remedy existing defects. The ex-President spoke of what he termed "crying abuses connected with child labor."

Mr. Roosevelt advocated enactment by Congress of the bill providing for a bureau to be known as the children's bureau, and to gather, classify and distribute accurate information on all subjects relating to the welfare of children. He urged working women to organize as working men are now organized and declared that New York should put a stop to manufacturing in tenement houses.

Experience during the last 25 years, the speaker declared, has shown that while the people may be aroused to sound and high thinking, and their legislative and executive officers try to carry out their purpose, yet that the whole movement for good may come to naught, "because certain judges, certain courts, are steeped in some outworn political or social philosophy and totally misapprehend their relations to the people and to the public needs."

Col. Roosevelt sought to make it clear that he was not advocating "something radical or revolutionary," or that he was attacking judges. He declared that what he advocated is the wisest kind of conservation.

MANAGE CINCINNATI'S.

Famous Shortstop to Have Charge of Team Next Year.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Word was received at Cub headquarters yesterday that President Herrmann, of the Cincinnati National League Club, had made the announcement that he had signed a manager for 1912 and that the new leader was a "famous shortstop" but did not disclose his identity.

Because of negotiations known to have been on between Herrmann and Joe Tinker, the Cub shortstop was immediately guessed to be the man but the guess was pronounced a bad one by President Murphy and by Tinker himself.

Murphy was positive it could not be Tinker because no deal had been made with Cincinnati for the release of the player, who is under contract to the Cubs for two years more. Tinker said he was sure the announcement did not point to him for it was the first he had heard of it.

There are not so many "famous shortstops" in the game to make the field of eligibles a large one and it generally was believed that Herrmann meant either Hans Wagner, of Pittsburg, or Hugh Jennings, of Detroit.

DAVIDSON GAME.

Everything in Readiness in Charlotte for Today's Meet.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 20.—"Much interest is centered in the football game here Saturday when two of the premier teams of the State meet—Davidson and Carolina. The latter team is the heavier of the two, but it is remembered that the Davidson bunch last year, laboring under the same disadvantage, mopped up with her heavier opponents. Davidson 11 is declared to be equally as strong as last year, while Carolina is minus several of her former stars whose shoes have hardly been completely filled by the men this year.

Owing to the fact that there are many Charlotte boys playing on both teams, much interest is being manifested here. On Carolina Charlotte has three representatives and as many toters of the pig hide has she on the Presbyterian squad. On Carolina this year are seen the shining countenances of "Philly" Ritch, at center; Chambers, at full, and Will Tillett, at quarter. The local boys on the Davidson team are Pharr, at half; Alexander, at tackle, and Howell, at guard.

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Business Locals.

Wanted—Office Boy.
Palace Market Co.—See Our Supply.
Westmoreland Lumber Corp. — Help Wanted.

WANT CITIZENSHIP.

Porto Rican Speaks Before Lake Mohonk Conference—Grievances.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., Oct. 21.—In addressing the Lake Mohonk Conference of Friends of the Indians and Other Dependent Peoples today, Jorge V. Dominguez, judge of the Humacao District Court, Porto Rico, spoke in part as follows:

"The five main grievances entertained by the people of Porto Rico are: 1st, lack of American citizenship; 2nd, encroachment of the executive upon the legislative branch of the government; 3rd, lack of an elective Senate; 4th, control of the executive, or in other words, lack of self-government, and 5th, indefiniteness of the political status of the island.

"We Porto Ricans want to be citizens of the United States; we want to be like you, as you are, full fledged citizens. Your flag can only wave over free peoples and American citizens, and we demand that this right be granted forthwith, as a token of friendship and justice.

"You all know this feeling aroused in this country by the newly started movement for the direct election of United States Senators. Even now your Senators are chosen by the indirect vote of the people through their direct representatives. But none is appointed by the President of the Republic nor by the State Governors. Why then, will be reserved to Porto Rico the unhappy lot of being the victim of anti-constitutional and anti-American measures? Why should our Senators, that is to say, the members of the so-called executive council, not be chosen by the will of the people? I submit to you that you would feel more ready to sever the loving knots that tie this group of powerful States, or gayly attend a new Boston Tea Party, at any rate, than relinquish into strange hands, no matter how respected, the sacred right of self representation.

"We want to be Americans. But free Americans, self-governed and self-supporting.

"Small as we are, the American occupation of our island marks an epoch in the political history of this side of the world. Porto Rico is the advance post of the United States in their peaceful war for commercial and political pre-eminence in America. If you treat Porto Rico rightfully and make of us contented, happy American citizens and bestow upon us the fullest self-government, you will eventually become the mightiest among the mighty nations of the world. The prejudices entertained by other American nations will be banished and the justice done to Porto Rico will be returned to you in the appreciation, the confidence and the love of the rest of the New World."

Judge Dominguez urged the passage of the following resolution:

"To declare that self-government be forthwith granted to the people of Porto Rico and that collective citizenship be immediately bestowed upon them."

A GAMBLING DEBT.

District Supreme Court Passes on a "Harmless Amusement."

Washington, D. C., Oct. 20.—After hearing expert testimony to determine whether faro is a gambling game or just a "harmless amusement," the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia yesterday refused judgment to J. A. Carroll, said to be a former faro bank operator of Augusta, Ga., who sued Randolph T. Warwick, a Washington business man, to recover on a "stopped" check for $1,500. The check was given to cover losses on the Augusta layout. The court decided that faro was gambling and therefore a faro debt could not legally stand.

CHARLESTON MAN DEAD

Retired Banker Expires of Heart Trouble at New York

New York, Oct. 20.—Morris Israel, 75 years old, was found dead in his room at the Hotel Somerset this morning. His death was caused by heart trouble.

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